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Colonials Want Seat At Peace Conference

Apply Atlantic Charter To All Subject Peoples

London Meeting Urges Effective Machinery For World Colonial Council

LONDON, June 10. (Reuter).

A demand that all political prisoners in the colonies be set free, and that democratically elected representatives of subject peoples be invited to participate at the Peace Conference on terms of absolute equality with other delegates was voiced at the opening session of the Subject Peoples' Conference in London, today, cables Devendar Anand, Reuter's Special Correspondent.

The Conference was attended by representatives from Burma India, W. Africa, E. Africa, Malaya, W. Indies and other colonies. It affirmed that it is imperative that the Atlantic Charter should be consistently applied to all colonial peoples, regardless of race, colour, or degree of social development, and suggested "that at the Peace Conference there should be set up an effective machinery in the form of a World Colonial Council.

This would consist of representatives of the colonial countries themselves, and it should be entrusted with the following tasks:—

Firstly, to formulate a policy and programme for unconditional and immediate ending of all colonial systems. Secondly, to supervise the establishment of representative and responsible constitutions based upon universal adult suffrage in the colonies, such constitutions to provide full statutory safeguards for minority rights.

Thirdly to ensure that none of the territories at present under Japanese control are permitted to revert to dependent colonial status after their liberation, and that ex-Italian colonies in Africa are given full rights of self-determination.

Fourthly, to bring about the immediate abrogation of all racial and discriminatory laws, such as at present deprive Negroes in America, Asiatics and Africans in Africa, and subject peoples generally of full democratic rights of citizenship."

"SHEER HUMBUG"

Moving the adoption of these proposals, the Indian writer Iqbal Singh said that the thing that impressed him most about the present Conference was that, though the voices were different and came from widely separated countries, they told the same story.

It was a story of degradation imposed upon the human spirit by imperialism all colonial empires were nothing more than vast Belsen camps and this was true of the British, French and Dutch Empires alike.

But there was one bright spot in modern history, and this was that, within the colonial empires and dependent peoples, movements were being born to gain independence and freedom, and that these movements were gathering force.

At the San Francisco Conference Imperialistic Powers were talking of Self-Government and Trusteeship for dependent peoples. But all this talk was sheer humbug. Gen. Smuts had drafted the preamble to the so-called Charter of Human Rights. This was a complete mockery as Gen. Smuts was himself the head of a State which was passing racial discriminatory laws.

Alluding to the present-day conditions in India, Dr. K. D. Kumria, an Indian doctor practising in London declared that the Indian National Congress resolution of 1942 marked a landmark in the history of India. Although it was said that this war was being fought for the ideals of liberty and freedom, the Indian people were drafted into it against their wish, he said.

"What kind of liberty is this when 50,000 Congressmen—the real representatives of India—are being kept behind prison bars?" he added.

Director: DHIRUBHAI DESAI
FOR PARTICULARS
VISHNU CINETONE
DADAR, BOMBAY

'BIG THREE' OF POST-WAR REICH GOVT. MEET

Appeal For Unity

FRANKFURT ON MAIN, June 10 (Reuter).—Field-Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery, Gen. Dwight Eisenhower and Marshal Zhukov, the Big Three in the Government of Post-war Reich, met for the second time this week in Frankfurt today, cables Denis Martin, Reuter's special correspondent.

The highlight of the ceremonies and parades were two speeches by Marshal Zhukov, Marshal Stalin's Commissar for occupied Germany, in which he APPEALED TO THE GREAT ALLIES FOR THE UNITY NECESSARY TO GUARANTEE THE WORLD OF TOMORROW AGAINST FURTHER ACTS OF AGGRESSION.

Mrs. Pandit Says:

U. S. Women Throw Jewels On Platform For India's Cause

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9 (U.P.A.): Mrs. Vijalakshmi Pandit returned here today from her Chicago visit where she addressed her largest audience—a group of ten thousand people.

She conferred with Brigadier-General Carlos Romulo of the Philippines today and expects to confer with four of the Russian delegates on Monday.

She said that after the Chicago meeting, women threw jewels "for the cause of India" on the platform.

Laval At Port Bou

LONDON, June 10 (Reuter): The French Radio stated to-day that Laval arrived at Port Bou on the Franco-Spanish frontier last night.

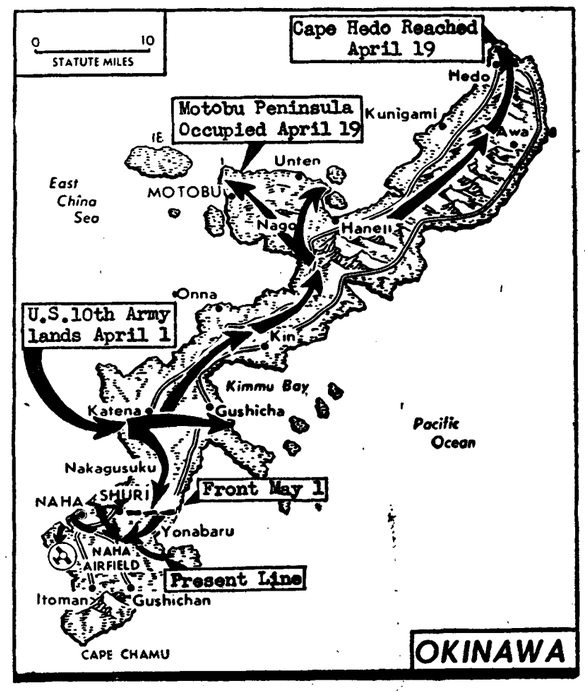
CABLE ITEMS

WASHINGTON, June 9, (U. P. A.): The three-man committee of newspaper men, which toured the world in the interest of free flow of world news, today handed President Truman a report of their findings. The report will be made public on Monday.

NEW YORK, June 10, (U. P. A.): Carl Crow, veteran Far East journalist and advertising executive, died last night after a long illness. He was 61 years of age. His family, announcing funeral arrangements, requested that friends, instead of sending flowers, contribute to the "American Society for the Control of Cancer".

LONDON, June 10, (Reuter): The Paris Radio to-day reported that Mr. Harry Hopkins, President Truman's personal representative, arrived in Paris from Moscow to-day on way back to Washington.

WAVELL PLAN (See Page 5)



According to a Tokyo Radio message the Americans "are pouring reinforcements into the Oroku Peninsula on Okinawa."
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Hitler Reported Hiding With Franco

Zhukov Reveals Fuehrer Married Film Actress Before Fall Of Berlin

BERLIN, June 10. (Reuter): Marshal Zhukov told Allied correspondents at his headquarters here yesterday that "Two days before Berlin fell Hitler married Eva Braun, a film actress" cables Duncan Hooper, Reuter's special correspondent.

Of Hitler's disappearance Marshal Zhukov said: "It is very mysterious and I can make no definite statement about his fate. We have not discovered any corpse which could be identified as Hitler's. He could have taken off at the last minute because the airfield was at his service.

Colonel-General Berzarin, Chief of the Garrison and Commandant of Berlin, said: "We have found several bodies that might be Hitler's, but we cannot yet state that he is dead. My opinion is that Hitler has gone into hiding and is somewhere in Europe, possibly with General Franco".

Marshal Zhukov said that the fact of the Hitler-Eva Braun marriage was known because "we found references to it in the diaries of adjutants of the German General Staff who fell into our hands.

Colonel-General Berzarin later pointed out that while Hitler's fate was still a mystery, "on the other hand there are all sorts of people who were close to him who say he committed suicide or that he was killed by a shell".

(Hitler's affair with Eva Braun is believed to have started as long ago as 1932, Reuter recalls. She was first reported engaged or even married to him in 1939. One report stated that she was generally accepted by Hitler's entourage as the Fuehrer's wife.

Up till now Eva Braun was believed to have died with Hitler in the Berlin Chancellory. She was in the shelter under the Chancellory with Hitler when Hitler's stenographer, Herr Gesell last saw him on April 22.)

Another "Hitler" Mystery

MOSCOW, June 10, (U. P. A.): "Red Star's" correspondent Lt.-Col. Troyanovsky, in his series entitled "Last Days of Berlin" related how on the morning of May 1, a German automobile flying a white flag, approached the sector held by Col. Smolin.

The German General in the car named Krebs identified himself as the newly appointed Chief of the German Headquarters and was taken to Soviet Colonel-General Chuikov of Stalingrad fame.

General Krebs said "I am authorised to inform the Soviet Command that yesterday, April 30, Fuehrer Adolf Hitler departed from this world at his own wish" adding that Hitler had appointed Admiral Doenitz as head of the German General Staff and Joseph Goebbels head of the German Government.

Spanish Denial

MADRID, June 10, (Reuter): The Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs today officially denied the suggestion made by Colonel-General Berzarin, Military Governor of Berlin, that Hitler was probably in Spain. The Ministry pointed out that had Hitler taken refuge in Spain the Allies would have been advised immediately, in accordance with Spain's adherence to the United Nations agreement that neutral countries should not harbour war criminals.

Nehru And Dev Transferred To Almora Jail

Sequel To Heat Wave In Bareilly

ALMORA, June 10. (A.P.I.): Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and Acharya Narendra Dev, members of the Congress Working Committee who had been confined in the Central Prison, Izatnagar (Bareilly), were transferred to the Almora District Jail today.

Almora is a hill station situated in the Kumaun regions of the Himalayas at an altitude of 5,600 feet. It is nearly 70 miles from Nainital.

The two leaders have been transferred from Bareilly in view of the heat wave which is sweeping the plains.

The news of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru's transfer to Almora reached Nainital through a Congressman who came from Bhowali, six miles from Nainital, to see Pandit Govind Ballabh Pant. He saw the two leaders this morning near Bhowali being driven in a car in the direction of Almora. The news was later confirmed by official quarters who stated that transfer orders had already been passed by the U.P. Government.

Enquiries about the health of the two leaders indicate that while Pandit Nehru is keeping fairly well, Acharya Narendar Dev is reported ill.

As a prisoner Pandit Nehru is no stranger to Almora. While undergoing terms of imprisonment in 1934, Pandit Nehru was lodged in the Almora District Jail to enable him to see Shrimati Kamla Nehru who was then lying ill in Bhowali Sanitorium.

Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan, the Frontier Gandhi, has also spent some months of his jail life in Almora.

BRITISH COUNTERCHARGES AGAINST SOVIET

LONDON, June 10, (Reuter): The British Foreign Office to-day replied to the accusations by the Soviet Colonel-General Feodor Golikov that Soviet nationals in British hands had been badly treated, and itself listed complaints against the Russian authorities treatment of released British war prisoners.

The foreign Office alleged that British officers attached to transit camp in Russia had been prevented from organising their internal administration and in some cases, prevented from carrying out their duties.

The statement declared that living conditions for liberated British and United States prisoners in Lublin were "totally inadequate."

VISIT TO GANDHIJI 'PURELY PERSONAL'

Bhulabhai Says He Knows No More About Wavell Plan Than Press Reports

BOMBAY, Sunday.

Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai left for Panchgani this morning in connection with a letter received by him from Mahatma Gandhi.

It is presumed that Gandhiji expressed a desire to discuss with Mr. Bhulabhai the situation that would result from the announcement of the Wavell Plan next week.

Mr. Bhulabhai's stay at Panchgani may last for a week

PANCHGANI.—Mr. Bhulabhai Desai arrived here this evening.

In an informal talk with pressmen, Mr. Desai said that his visit to Mahatma Gandhi, whom he had not seen for the last four months, was purely personal.

In reply to a question, Mr. Desai said that he knew no more about Lord Wavell's expected offer than what had appeared in the press. He had so far received no invitation from the Viceroy and could not say when he was leaving for Delhi.

Mr. Desai will leave for Bombay tomorrow.

Fifteen minutes after his arrival here from Bombay, Mr. Bhulabhai Desai met Mahatma Gandhi.

JAMNADAS DWARKADAS MEETS GANDHIJI

Earlier, Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas, member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation and a former member of the Central Assembly, met Mahatma Gandhi for about an hour. Though the visit was purely personal, Mr. Jamnadas is understood to have discussed the present political situation in the country and the future of Congress work with Mahatma Gandhi.

He is also understood to have stressed that though he believed in the ideal of non-violence, India could not afford to neglect armed forces and suggested that the present personnel of the Indian Army would be of the greatest service to India in repelling any future aggressor.

It is learnt that Mahatma Gandhi, who was observing silence, took down notes and expressed favourable opinion on Mr. Jamnadas' arguments, but he declined to comment on the question of armed preparedness against aggression and military training for youth.

7 Councillors Want Dominion Status

NEW DELHI, June 10 (U.P.A.): Seven members of the Viceroy's Council have told Lord Wavell that his current plan for India is unacceptable unless a declaration granting India Dominion Status is forthcoming. Press reports said today.

There was speculation whether this and other reaction might result in modifications in plans in an effora to make it acceptable to the Congress.

Molotov's Stand At 'Frisco Welcomed

CALCUTTA, June 9 (A.P.I.): The Third Session of the Bengal Provincial Trade Union Congress Conference met today under the presidency of Mr. M. K. Bose, President of the All India Trade Union Congress.

The Conference passed a resolution protesting against "the continued detention of the members of the Congress Working Committee thousands of Congressmen, pre-reform days prisoners and trade unionists in Bengal as well as in other provinces and demanding their immediate and unconditional release.

By another resolution, the Conference extended warm fraternal greetings to the Soviet people and the Red Army on the victorious conclusion of their great war for the defence of the Socialist Fatherland and welcomed "the bold and unequivocal stand taken by M. Molotov at San Francisco for the independence and self-determination of colonial people and exposure of the Puppet Indian delegation sent there by the British Government."

The Conference meets again tomorrow.

ELECTION IN CANADA

7,000,000 People To Vote

OTTAWA June 10, (Reuter): Over seven million Canadian men and women will to-morrow go to national polling booths to decide whether or not Mr. MacKenzie King's Liberal Party should be granted another five-year term in office as a reward for their war services and promises for the future, says Reuter's special correspondent.

The Dominion election will be mainly a straight fight between Mr. MacKenzie King's Liberals and Mr. John Bracken's Progressive Conservatives.

'Axis Victory Would Have Been Far Worse'

Gandhiji Says Allied Success No Triumph Of Truth Over Falsehood

PANCHGANI, June 10. (A.P.I.)

Addressng about 300 members of the Rashtra Seva Dal, Wai, Mahatma Gandhi said here this evening that though he could not enthuse over the Allied victory in Europe as a victory of truth over falsehood, he wanted to make it clear that victory for the Axis would have been far worse. He also said that it was his conviction that if India could win Swarai through truth and non-violence he would be able to bring deliverance to all the other oppressed nations.

The following is the authorised version of Mahatma Gandhi's speech:—

Gandhiji congratulated the volunteers for having walked down to Panchgani from Wai inspite of the rain. He was sorry he could not invite them all to the prayer hall. The hall belonged to a school (Parsi Girls' High School and the school authorities had their own rules and regulations). That they allowed him a rebel, to hold prayer meeting in their hall was the essence of the prayer. He knew that the volunteers did not all pray. He had been in close touch with volunteers organisations in India ever since 1919. Yet he had not been able to make them prayer-minded. He has failed to create in them an enthusiasm for prayer.

Again he had explained to them right from the beginning that a volunteer must always serve the people and serve them only through truth and non-violence. Yet there were very few men and women amongst them who had accepted truth and non-violence as their creed. He was convinced that real Swaraj that is Swaraj for the rich and the poor alike, could not be won except through truth and non-violence.

They had just seen the end of a terrible war. It had made people doubt if truth really counted in this world. The Allies had won, but their victory had been the result of superior arms and superior manpower. He could not enthuse over it as a victory of truth over falsehood. At the same time he wanted to make it clear to them that a victory for the Axis would have been far worse. The Axis had accepted violence as their creed. The Allies had not done so. They at least paid lip service to peace and freedom and truth and non-violence. It was true that their actions delayed their profession. A major part of humanity today consisted of oppressed and enslaved nations. It was his conviction that if India could win swaraj through truth and non-violence, he would be able to bring deliverance to all the other oppressed nations.

Many of the volunteers were not clad in khadi. He had called the spinning wheel the symbol of truth and non-violence and therefore also Swaraj. That was why it had found a place in the National flag. Therefore, he exhorted them all to spin and produce khadi for their own clothes. Thus they would help to combat the cloth shortage in the country and help the naked poor.

Lastly he asked them all to learn Hindusthani. Hindusthani was the language that Hindus and Mussalmans of North India spoke and which was written in Bagari and Urdu script. All those who spoke Hindusthani did not know both the scripts. But those who wished to serve all should make it a point of honour to learn both the scripts.

The function which was organised by Dr. B. D. Savant included flag salutation.

Mahatma Gandhi's speech which was in Hindusthani was translated into Marathi.

The function concluded with the singing of "Vande Mathram"

STOP PRESS

TRIESTE SITUATION VERY OBSCURE

TRIESTE, June 10 (Reuter). The situation here remains very obscure, cables Reuter's special correspondent. Marshal Tito's forces still stand firm in the perimeter defences around the city, and show no signs of any general evacuation.

The Yugoslav flag still flies over the City Hall. British military authorities have no information to give correspondents concerning the situation.

BELGIAN SOCIALISTS DEMAND LEOPOLD'S ABDICATION

BRUSSELS, June 10 (Reuter).—A Congress of the Belgian Socialist Party today unanimously endorsed the resolution of the Party's Executive Committee demanding the abdication of King Leopold the Third.

LECLERC FOR PACIFIC?

PARIS, June 10 (U.P.A.)—General LeClerc will be named Commander-in-Chief of the French Far Eastern Expeditionary Force, the newspaper "Liberation" said today.

2 KARNATAK CONGRESS LEADERS DEAD

HUBLI, June 10 (A.P.I.)—Karnatak lost two Congress leaders today in the deaths of Kaulgi Hanamanta Rao of Bijapur and Dr. Rambahau Joshi of Belgaum. It is understood that both died of heart failure.

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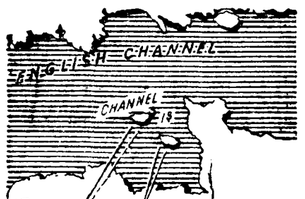

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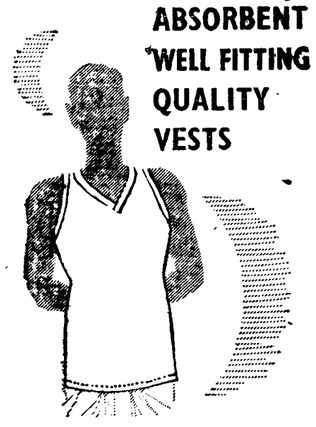

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CHURCHILL'S AMBITIOUS PLAN FOR BRITAIN'S FUTURE

Liberal Nationals Prepared To Support Premier, Says Ernest Brown

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): The Prime Minister Winston Churchill, today, issued an 8,000-word "Declaration of policy to the electors." It stated: "The settlement of Europe and the prosecution of the war against Japan depend on decisions of the utmost gravity which can only be taken by resolute and experienced men.

Our alliance with Soviet Russia and our intimate friendship with the United States can be maintained only if we show that our candour is matched by our strength."

Mr. Churchill stated that the Conservative programme was not based upon unproved theories or fine phrases but upon principles that have been tested in the fires of war and not found wanting.

"We seek the good of the whole nation, not that of one section and one faction We believe in the living unity of the British people which transcends class or party differences.

"THE MAIN HOPE OF THE WORLD IS NOW FOUNDED UPON THE SETTING UP OF A WORLD ORGANISATION, STRONG ENOUGH TO PREVENT FUTURE WARS OF AGGRESSION, WHETHER BY THE WEAK OR THE STRONG.

Our prevailing hope is that the foundations will be laid on indissoluble agreement of Great Britain, the United States and Soviet Russia.

We shall base the whole of our international policy on a recognition that in world affairs the Mother Country must act in the closest possible concert with all other parts of the British Commonwealth and Empire.

MAIN POINTS OF PLAN

The following are the main points of the declaration: "Defence: Britain must not lose her position in world affairs, now that the war in Europe is won.

Until the end of the Japanese war and I hope until the World Security Organisation has become a reality, all citizens under democratic government should bear responsibility for defending their country and its cause.

"Only a Britain that is strong and ready to fight in the defence of freedom will count in the High Councils of the world and thus safeguard the coming generations against the immeasurable horrors of another war.

"Work: The Government accepts, as one of its primary aims and responsibilities, the maintenance of a high and stable level of employment.

"Homes: Prices of materials must be controlled as long as supplies are short. In the first two years, it is intended to build at least 220,000 permanent houses and have futher 80.000 under way, supplemented by at least 150,000 well-equipped temporary houses. We shall bring forward into the new Parliament proposals for improving the law so as to secure the best use of the land in the public interest, including proper reservation of open spaces and the best location of industry and housing."

Food and Agriculture: British agriculture will be maintained in a condition to enable an efficient producer to obtain a reasonable return on the enterprise and capital invested and to enable wages to be paid to the worker sufficient to secure him a proper standard of living.

National Insurance: One of our most important tasks will be to pass into law and bring into action, as soon as we can, a nation-wide and compulsory scheme of National Insurance based on the plan announced by the Government of all parties in 1944.

Health: The Government proposes to create a comprehensive Health Service covering the whole range of medical treatment, from the general practitioner to the specialist, and from hospital to convalescence and rehabilitation.

Overseas Trade: Every possible encouragement will be given to the enterprise of individuals and firms to take advantage of export opportunities of all kinds and nothing must be done to paralyse the spirit of adventure.

Fuel and Power: A central authority appointed by the Minister of Fuel will be set up to insist that necessary measures are taken and to provide such help and guidance as is useful.

These measures centre upon proper development and efficient conduct of operations in each coal-field, according to the best modern practice. In so far as grouping or amalgamating collieries is necessary for this object, it will be carried through voluntarily, if possible, but otherwise by compulsion.

Money: It will be our aim and purpose to make an early reduction in taxation in a way that will stimulate energy and permit free individual choice.

"An object of our financial policy is to keep prices from rising, and make sure that savers do not see the purchasing power of their savings dwindle."

Not once, in this twenty-page manifesto, does Mr. Churchill refer to Conservatives or to the Conservative Party.

ERNEST BROWN BOOSTS CHURCHILL

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): "Put first things first", was the theme of Mr. Ernest Brown, Parliamentary Leader of the Liberal National Party, speaking to-night in the series of election broadcasts initiated by Prime Minister Churchill.

At this very moment, British ships and British planes are moving British fighting men to the eastern hemisphere for the tough effort we must make to beat the Japanese. Surely, if we put first things first, we ought not to be thinking of the political future of any party in the State. I would urge that we must first think of the dangers and needs of our men who are now fighting and will fight to the end that warlike and fanatical race of murderous Japanese.

These fighting men are husbands, sons and brothers of many who listen to me. This is a human issue and in my judgment it is the first issue

Referring to Mr. Churchill as an "incomparable leader", Mr. Brown said: "If we expect him to do Herculean things, we must give him Parliamentary support in leading us to victory in the Pacific."

Turning to home affairs, Mr. Brown claimed that it was free enterprise together with the influence of free political democracy in the Parliament under Liberal and Conservative statesmen that has been responsible in the past for a widespread extension of social, educational and medical services in Britain. "It is useless for socialists to pretend that they did it. The mass of work was done by Liberals and Conservatives" he declared.

Liberal Nationals, said Mr. Brown intended to support Prime Minister Churchill not only in winning the Japanese war, but in seeing through the Parliament the long list of social reforms to which he is committed in the four-year plan. "We believe that inside the Government and behind it, in the Parliament, we shall exert more influence and render more help than by standing apart with destructive criticism."

LABOUR'S REPLY TO COMMUNISTS

BIRMINGHAM, June 9 (Reuter): Labour has refused to agree to the Communists' suggestion that Alderman P. L. Shurmer should resign in the Sparkbrook Division to leave their nominee, Mr. Palme Dutt, a clear field against the Secretary of State for India, Mr. Leopold Amery, according to to-day's "Birmingham Gazette".

"We believe in self-government for India and are just as much concerned about it as Communists", says Alderman Shurmer.

Mr. Dutt's reply is that the Labour Party would apparently rather run the risk of letting Mr. Amery in than meeting "a very reasonable" proposal.

SETH GOVINDDAS SCORES

Appeal On Omission Of Name From Central Assembly Electoral Rolls

JUBBULPORE, June 10 (U.P.I.): The petition of Seth Govinddas, M.L.A., (Central), objecting to the omission of his name from the new electoral rolls for the Central Assembly published recently, was hotly contested by the Deputy Commissioner, Jubbulpore, in the court of the District and Sessions Judge, Jubbulpore.

Opposing the petition, the Deputy Commissioner, argued that the name of the petitioner, Seth Govinddas, had been omitted from the rolls because he did not fulfil the requisite qualifications, as he did not reside in the constituency for 180 days prior to the publication of the rolls.

Seth Govinddas submitted that he had no freedom to reside in the constituency or his residency as he was arrested and detained as a Security Prisoner by the Government who were themselves responsible for keeping him away from his residency and constituency.

Over-ruling the objection raised by the Deputy Commissioner, the Judge ordered that Seth Govinddas' name should be included in the rolls.

U. P. BAN ON COMMUNIST WEEKLIES CONDEMNED

POONA, June 9 (A.P.I.): A statement issued to-day over the signatures of some prominent persons of Poona condemns the U. P. Government's ban on "People's War" "Qaumi Jang" and "Lokyudh", three weeklies of the Communist Party of India.

The signatories include Messrs N C. Kelkar, N. V. Gadgil, L. B. Bhopatkar, and editors of Marathi newspapers of the city.

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OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY

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AGREEMENTS

The following agreements have been entered into:—

(a) The Managing Agency Agreement between the Company of the one part and Messrs. General Industrial Syndicate of other part appointing the latter their successor and assigns as Managing Agents of the Company. The said agreement 'inter alia' provides that the period of the same shall be 20 years commencing from date of incorporation of the Company.

(b) The agreement between Company of the one part and Dr. G. S. Rathore, G.V.S.C., D.V.M., as the TECHNICAL DIRECTOR of the Company.

Copies of the said agreements may be inspected at the Registered Office of the Company at New Delhi at any time during business hours on working days.

INTEREST OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Haiim Jung is partner in the firm of the Managing Agents and as such he is interested in the Managing Agents remuneration. Dr. G. S. Rathore as a Technical Director is interested in the remuneration payable to him under the aforesaid agreement.

BROKERAGE

The Managing Agents have been authorised to pay brokerage to bona fide brokers or agents or persons authorised agents subscribing or agreeing to subscribe whether absolutely or conditionally for any shares in the Company at a rate to be fixed by the Directors from time to time.

Applications for shares should be made on the form accompanying the Prospectus and sent to the Company's Bankers or direct to the Registered Office of the Company.

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To-day's Engagements

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

Special Jurors' attention is drawn to the notice appearing in the Public Notifications Column.

THE SILVERFISH: Prin. A. K. Chanda of Shanikiniketan will speak on "Vishwabharati—An Experiment in Education", to-day (Monday), at 6-15 p.m.

RADICAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY: Public lecture by A. K. Pillai at Sunderabai Hall to-day (Monday), at 6-30 p.m., on "India and Britain."

KANARA SARASWAT ASSOCIATION: Under the joint auspices of Bombay Sabha, K. S. Assn. and Bhajan Mandal Punyatithi of H. H. Pandurangashrama Swamiji of Shri Chitrapurmath will be observed to-day (Monday), in Shri Anandashram Hall, where a Kirtan will be performed by H. B. P. Ramkrishna Buwa Dole, at 9-30 p.m.

"INDIA AND BRITAIN": The Bombay Radical Democratic Party is organising a public lecture by Mr. A. K. Pillai, Representative of the Radical Democratic Party in England. It will be held to-day (Monday), at Sunderabai Hall, at 6-30 p.m., on "India and Britain."

A.-I. MUSLIM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY: Mr. N. R. Pillai, I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Commerce will meet the members of the All-India Muslim Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Bombay, at their office to-day (Monday), at 12 noon.

3 ARTS SPECIAL FUNCTION: On Thursday June 14, at 5 o'clock at the Taj in honour of the Diwan Saheb of Baroda and Lady Protima Mitter, Lady Mitter, will speak on the New Association of the Bombay Women's Sports—(under formation) Mr. Bhoot—organiser and Miss Fraeny Talyarkhan will also speak. A unique programme of entertainment has been arranged. Entry vouchers can be had from Atiya Begum.

BOMBAY SUBURBAN STUDENTS' UNION: The B. S. S. U. will give Exercise Note-books at cheap rates to the students of Suburbs. Students intending to take advantage may take the books from the Head Office B. S. S. U. ("Mohan Villa" 2nd Hasnabad Lane, Santacruz) between 5-30 p.m. and 7 p.m.

STUDENTS' CABLE TO CHURCHILL AND AMERY.

The General Secretary, All-India Students' Federation has sent a dispatch to the Viceroy, Mr. Churchill and Mr. Amery, stating that the future constitution of free India should not be planned on religious or Imperialistic basis, but should be so constituted that it would be a whole and solid Indian nation ruled by Indians entirely.

ONE DAY MORE OF F. S. U. EXHIBITION: The Exhibition "U. S. S. R. Fights Disease", organised by the Friends of the Soviet Union, Bombay, at the Aryan Education Society's School, opp. the Roxy-gate near Opera House Tram Terminus, has been extended by another day. The school authorities have donated the use of their hall for to-day (Monday), and they are also giving purse to the Friends of the Soviet Union as a token of their appreciation of the Exhibition.

It will, therefore, remain open from 12 to 9 p.m. to-day (Monday).

BENGALI DRAMA "TALKIE OF TALKIES".

The Bengali drama "Ritimoto Natak" (Talkie of Talkies), was successfully staged by the Calcutta Amateurs at the Bhagwati Theatre last week. The roles of Dupendu, Shanta, Digamber and Sagata in particular were greatly appreciated. Thanks are due to Mr. K. P. Mukherjee for his excellent management.

MOTHER INDIA FREE NIGHT HIGH SCHOOL: At a meeting of the Board of Management of the school the following have been elected to the Managing Committee for the year 1945-46:—M. Y. Nurie, (President), Hon'ble Mangaldas Pakvasa, S. K. Patil, S. H. Jhabwala, P. R. Lele, F. M. Pinto, Madhav Menon, G. S. Kini, Shivchand R. Gupta K. Somappa, R. A. Mehta, Shivram Kanchan, Veerappa Uchil.

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MYTH OF INDIA'S DISUNITY EXPLODED

Variety Of Religions & Customs No Barrier To Freedom, Says Kamaladevi

"Today, the argument is perpetually advanced that India is divided by so many religions, languages and customs and that this disunity comes in the way of her freedom. This is a fallacious argument, because there are many other countries where there are many languages and religions, and yet they are free," said Shrimati Kamaladevi Chattopadhyaya, addressing the Bombay Nationalist Christian Party at Instituto Luso Indiano, Thakurdwar, on Sunday. Mr. J. S. Malelu presided.

Mrs. Kamaladevi pointed out that even countries with a single language and a single religion had lost their freedom at one time or the other. Poland provided an instance. On the other hand, the United States of America were free in spite of the heterogenous character of its people.

At the outset, Mrs. Kamaladevi referred to the National Movement of 1942 in India, and said that though it was carried on without any training or industrial backing, it had shown the courage of a people which even those trained in arts of warfare could not show.

Proceeding, she said that countries which were producing arms of the most modern kind, could not win their freedom themselves. For a long time this country was frustrated by the feeling that an unarmed people could not move forward. But the longer this spirit continued, the weaker the people became. It was against this background of frustration that a leader like Mahatma Gandhi instilled into the people a new spirit—that even without arms, we could revolt and revolt effectively.

We had been witnessing countries becoming free and going into bondage again; particularly for smaller countries, the hope of becoming free and retaining that freedom, had become remote. This was because it was impossible for one part of the world to remain free while another part was in bondage.

Yet, in this setting, India was of vast significance to the world, because she had shown that even an unarmed people could fight against a superior force, and thus had minimised the possibility of larger powers keeping weaker ones in bondage.

India therefore could make a definite contribution towards world freedom if she could achieve her own freedom by this particular technique.

Women Bag Snatchers Adopt "Chain System"

A gang of women of the Mang Garudi (Criminal tribe) caste has been operating a bag-snatching "racket" in the Grant Road area during the week. Taking a leaf from the book of their male contemporaries, these women had evidently adopted the "chain system" to facilitate concealment of property stolen by them and lessen the chances of detection. In working this system, the actual thief immediately passes the proceeds of theft to an accomplice who is waiting in a strategic position by prior arrangement, this accomplice in turn passes it on to another and so on. Thus even if the victim manages to apprehend the thief the stolen article is rarely recovered.

Two women members of this gang have been arrested by the Maharbauri Police. One case of bag-snatching has also been reported from Mazagaon and ladies are advised to be alert against this type of crime.—"Police News."

Accommodation For Officers In Bombay

BOMBAY, June 8.

The Government of India, Finance Department, have nominated Mr. R. C. Khanna, Joint Financial Adviser (Cotton Textiles and Civil Supplies), to represent all officers serving under them in Bombay, to a Committee appointed by them to look after their interest in the matter of housing and office accommodation.

MAHTAB'S CASE FOR CONSTRUCTIVE PROGRAMME

Addressing the F Ward Congress Workers at Lalbaug on Friday night Shri Krishna Mahtab, a member of the Working Committee appealed to the people to carry on the Constructive Programme vigorously. The students in his opinion did not seem to believe in the Constructive Programme and it was a grave mistake on their part. He declared emphatically, that he had neither seen the Wavell Plan nor he cared to do so. He was not at all interested in it. Our salvation lay in the successful working of the Constructive Programme, Mr. Nagindas T. Master, Ex-Mayor of Bombay, presiding over the meeting thanked the speaker. He commended the Constructive Work of Bombay province and the Maharashtra.

ALLEGED KIDNAPPERS ARRESTED

NAGPUR, June 9 (A.P.I.): Two alleged kidnappers have been arrested by the Nagpur Railway Police.

One of them, a Punjabi Sikh, had with him a boy belonging to a Jagirdar family of Ludhiana district and the other a Christian woman, had with her a Muslim girl of Satara District.

TODAY ON RADIO

MONDAY, JUNE 11.
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244 m. (1,231 kc/s)—8-0 a.m. News (H). 8-15 News (E). 8-30 L. G. Bartake (Vocal). 8-45 Abdul Aziz Khan. 8-50 News (M). 9-0 News (G). 9-10 Tomorrow. 9-15 Basheer Qawwal. 9-30 Bal Gandharva. 9-45 Bhajans.

12-30 p.m. Bhajan and Geet. 12-45 News (M). 12-50 News (G). 12-55 News (H). 1-0 Mixed Music. 1-30 News (E). 1-40 Music. 2-30 For Women (H). 4-0 Teachers' Broadcast. 5-0 L. G. Bartake. 5-20 Basheer Qawwal. 5-35 Dilruba. 5-45 Topical Talk. 5-55 Locals. 6-0 Saraswati Bai Faterpekar. 6-30 News (E). 6-40 News (H). 6-45 Matters of Moment. 6-50 Tarana. 7-0 'Jungle Sudharana'. 7-15 Flute. 7-35 Basheer Qawwal. 7-45 Music from Film. 8-0 J. Y. Pandit (Violin). 8-15 News (M). 8-30 News (G). 8-45 Orchestra. 9-0 News (H). 9-20 News (E). 9-30 B. B. C. News. 9-45 World We Want (5) (E). by Prof. N. S. Pardasani. 10-0 J. Y. Pandit (Violin). 10-15 Songs (G). 10-30 Saraswati Bai Faterpekar.

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Widespread Rain Likely To Occur In Bombay Deccan

POONA, June 10. (A. P. I.): The following is the weather summary for Sunday, June 10.

The unsettled condition off the Kanara-Konkan coast have formed into a depression. It has been stationary about 200 miles south-west of Bombay, but is likely to intensify further and move in some northerly direction. The monsoon is fairly strong in the south and east Arabian sea. Widespread rain has occurred in Malabar, and local rain in north Hyderabad and Mysore. A few showers have occurred in Assam, Bengal, the east Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, south Hyderabad and south-east Madras.

Forecast until the 11th evening. Widespread rain will occur in Malabar, west Mysore, the south Konkan, the south Bombay Deccan and west Hyderabad.

ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, June 10.

Following is the weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during the past 24 hours, since first Jan., 1945 and departure from normal recorded at 08-00 hours I. S. T., on 10/6/45:—

Ahmedabad 109 87 0 0.4 minus 0.2, Ahmednagar 100 72 0.16 1.4 minus 2.7, Aurangabad 103 75 0.32 1.4 minus 1.6, Bangalore 87 71 0 4.7 minus 3.5, Baroda 113 85 0 0.5 nil, Belgaum 87 700 3.3 minus 8.8 BOMBAY 94 74 1.17 2.4 minus 2.2, Calcutta 90 80 0.34 9.7 minus 3.0, Calicut 81 72 3.69 22.1 minus 2.5, Darjeeling 68 55 0 19.9 minus 1.3, Dehra Dun nil nil nil nil nil nil Delhi 112 84 0 1.5 minus 2.0, Honavar 92 74 1.46 6.5 nil, Hyderabad (Dn.) 102 72 0.40 1.5 minus 3.3, Hyderabad (Sd.) 109, 76 0 1.1 plus 0.1, Indore 107 82 0 1.7 minus 0.4, Karachi 90 80 0 2.0 plus 0.6, Kodaikanal 62 53 0.14 8.3 minus 11.1, Madras 105 81 0 5.3 plus 0.9, Mahableshwar 81 62 0.97 4.3 minus 3.2, Mangalore nil nil nil nil nil nil, Marmagao 83 75 0.65 2.20 minus 9.4, Mussoorie 84 66 0 5.5 minus 7.7, Mysore 85 68 0 1.2 plus 1.8, Nagpur 110 87 0 2.5 minus 2.4, Ootacamund nil nil nil nil nil nil, Pachmarhi 100 80 0 1.2 minus 2.3, Peshawar 107 74 0 0.9 minus 3.1, Poona 95 72 0.14 1.9 minus 1.4, Rajkot 107 82 0 0.7 minus 0.2, Ratnagiri 93 81 0 3.6 minus 6.2, Sholapur nil nil nil nil nil nil, Simla nil nil nil nil nil nil, Surat 104 84 0 0.5 minus 0.7—A. P.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

The best portion of a good man's life is his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love.

Wordsworth.

The Bombay Chronicle

BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE

In his speech at the Rotary Club, London, last week Mr. Amery stated: "More than three years ago, we made clear that we wish India to enjoy, after the war, complete independence within the British Commonwealth or even without it, if she so decided, on condition that the main elements in India's national life should first agree upon India's future constitutional structure." The reference is evidently to the Cripps offer. But that offer, with all its defects, was not made subject to the condition that the main elements in India should first agree upon India's future constitution. The Constitution was left to be framed entirely by a Constitution-making body, the British Government undertaking "to accept and implement forthwith the Constitution so framed," subject to certain conditions which did not include any agreement among parties. This agreement is a fresh condition added later to make the world believe that the Cripps offer lapsed only because Indians could not agree to any plan of division of power, though in fact the offer was rejected by all parties because it did not transfer any real power. It will be tragic if the same ruse is tried again.

The question of transfer of real power turns largely on the exercise of the veto by the Viceroy. It was understood by all at the time of the Cripps offer that any serious change in the 1935 Act was not to be made just then and that the restriction of the veto was to be effected by an assurance by the Viceroy. If Sir Stafford Cripps had not returned precipitately and in a huff as soon as the question of veto came up for discussion, there was a fair possibility of some understanding being arrived at. If the offer was made otherwise acceptable but the assurance about the veto was vague, even then there was a possibility of the scheme being given a trial on the condition that one or more parties would resign if they were dissatisfied with the exercise of the veto. It is to be hoped that, if the new offer is found good enough to be the basis of negotiations, these will be carried on patiently. Many reports agree that the veto is to remain as it is at present and that Mr. Churchill is adamant on this point. The "Daily Herald" of London says that at the last moment Mr Churchill agreed to the Wavell plan "with the proviso that the Governor-General must have the right of veto." If that means 'status quo," there is no hope of Congress accepting it. But if there is a reasonable assurance of the veto being allowed to fall into disuse by convention, an agreement on this point is not impossible.

There is, unfortunately, still uncertainty about the release of the Congress leaders in jail. Congress workers are by now so much accustomed to be in jail that none of them wishes to ask for the release of their leaders merely for the sake of release. But many are certain that, if the new offer is controversial and demands negotiations, Gandhiji will not, in the absence of the Working Committee members still in jail, speak for them or even commit himself to any opinion. Before it is too late we wish to warn Government that, if at all the idea is, as suggested by some, that the leaders in jail will be released only if those who are free accept the new offer, the whole thing will be justly condemned by many as sheer black-mailing. To give the offer the best chance it may deserve, it is absolutely necessary that the leaders should be released simultaneously with, or immediately after, the expected announcement.

Frankly Speaking

Frisco Agreement

Agreement has been arrived at among the Big Five on the two problems which were threatening the very fate of the United Nations organisations. On the question of veto the Big Four have accepted the essential stand of the Soviet Union and on the question of the Trusteeship Soviet Russia has conceded the essential demand of her Allies to include "self-government" as a possible alternative to "independence" as the aims of dependent peoples. It is all an unsatisfactory compromise, but the UNCIO had to be saved from abortive birth. One good, however, it has done. A favourable atmosphere has been created for the tackling of immediate inter-allied conflicts arising out of victory in Europe. In fact, one quite troublesome crisis has already been disposed of through the temporary settlement of the Trieste controversy. Let us hope the other difficulties in respect, for instance, of Poland and Austria are also solved soon.

Jap Desperation

Japanese militarists have taken another and significantly drastic step in their desperate effort to grapple with a hopeless situation. The Cabinet has assumed full control over Japanese production, life and resources. This is the result of the five hour cabinet meeting forced by the crisis of super-fort devastation of Tokio, Osaka and Nagoya and by the approaching collapse in Okinawa. The step is inevitably reminiscent of the events in Germany a few months before the end when all power became concentrated in a few men, principally Himmler and Goebbels. The similarity is not surprising because Japanese militarists, having the mentality of German Nazis, are undergoing the same experiences and facing the same fate as their fallen Allies. But even more interesting is the speech delivered by the Japanese Premier, Admiral Suzuki at the extraordinary session of the Diet. Apart from the selfishness, injustice, imperialistic greed and so on and so forth of the United States and Britain, his main grievance is the demand of his enemies for unconditional surrender by Japan.

Admission Of Defeat

As to Anglo-American imperialism, it simply does not lie in the mouth of any Japanese to talk about it after the Jap record in Korea, China, Burma and the rest of their ill-gotten "Empire." It is revolting impudence on the part of any Japanese to claim saviourship of East Asiatic peoples. That, however, was not so much Suzuki's main theme as the Allied demand. The Admiral said that the demand left no alternative for Japan but to fight on to the bitter end. This was made more interesting by his "utmost regret" that America and Japan had to fight each other. The apologetic protest against Allied demand is a clear admission by the Jap Government that they now foresee certain defeat and that they may consent to lay down arms if only the victors do not impose the term they are resolved upon. This too is reminiscent of Nazi leaders' protestations in the closing months of the war. So is also the defiant threat of Admiral Suzuki in case the Allies invade Japan. History which has so far repeated itself so unmistakably will repeat itself in the matter of the ultimate end too. But it is quite true that fanatical suicide-minded Japanese will offer more bitter and fierce resistance than did their Nazi allies.

The Hitler Mystery

Marshal Zhukov has made a startling statement about the mystery of Hitler's fate. It is now definite that the charred body recently discovered was not that of Hitler. Marshal Zhukov, however, seems to suggest that possibly the fallen Fuehrer may not only not be dead but may have flown from Berlin into hiding somewhere in Europe. This is, of course, not impossible. But circumstantial factors suggest that he is no longer alive. Temperamentally Hitler was far different from Goering and Ley and even from Himmler who, it must be remembered, promptly put and end to his life when he found that he could not escape. Hitler was too much of a megalomaniac for disguises or surrenders. Quite probably he died in Berlin and his body was effectively cremated because he did not want to be caught and because he hoped that after a decade or two there would arise a "Hitler Legend" to inspire the revival of Nazi Germany. That legend, however, is in the hands, paradoxically, of Germany's conquerors. They can create it or condemn Hitler to the dust and ashes, to which his body has been reduced, by their treatment of the German people.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A fool may start a strike, but it takes a wise man to stop it.

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Throw on the emergency brake when you find yourself talking too much.

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If ignorance is bliss some people must be blessed with perpetual happiness.

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It takes some pretty hard facts to make an impression on a soft-headed man.

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Vegetables never show up with splendour equal to the chromos in the seed catalogue.

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One young man wants to know how long girls should be courted. Same as short ones, we should say.

Our Readers' Views

Cloth For Funerals

Regarding the provision of cloth for funerals, may I inform Mr. Ghose Badshah (whose letter was published in your issue of June 9) that the Government has made due provision in this regard. Applications were invited from charitable institutions and shops dealing in such articles and allotments of cloth have already been made to over 40 of these. A press note giving the names and locations of these shops etc. will be published shortly.

G. G. GOKHALE.
Public Relations Officer
(Rationing)

"Wavell-Plan"

Just 4 years ago in one of my letters published in the "Bombay Chronicle" of the 12th June 1941 suggesting a "Solution of deadlock" I wrote thus:—"In a future constitution .... the only way in my opinion ....is to allot an equal number of seats to the Muslims and the Hindus in the Central Legislature and the Cabinet and in order to temporise and balance it a minority block has to be brought into existence to serve as a brake and a sort of a 'Buffer State' between the two." And again in 1942. Let the Hindus and the Muslims have an equal number of seats in the Central Legislature as well as in the Cabinet, and let us have other minorities acting as a sort of a 'Buffer State' between the two. All Provinces to have coalition Governments." Being convinced that the above scheme was the only panacea for the ills of India and would save her from disruption and division I have been incessantly dinning it into the ears of our self-satisfied politicians. But, rather in the words of the poet "Kon sunta hai kahani meri—our woh bhi zabani meri" (who cares to listen to my tales of woe and that too from my own mouth), they simply ignored it.

It is a far far cry from 1941 to 1945, tremendous upheavals have taken place since then and the face of the world has changed out of all recognition. Have our politicians changed? If they have, then I shall again appeal to them to accept the proviso of equal number of seats for the Hindus and the Muslims in the Central Executive as an interim arrangement, if that has actually been conceded in the alleged 'Wavell Plan' as the speculators in New Delhi would have us believe; because it is the only way of bringing the two warring communities together and breeding confidence amongst them. But, of course, provided that the 'plan' satisfies in other essential details as well and envisages the Indian aspiration of complete Idependence after the war. At the same time, I would warn the powers that be that nothing will come out of the plan if the Congress Working Committee Members are not released forthwith and allowed to discuss it.

May I, in this connection, further suggest a joint session of the Working Committees of both the Congress and the Muslim League in order jointly to deliberate over the plan and come to a decision satisfactory to both. Will Mr. Jinnah and Gandhiji bless the above suggestion? I wonder!

NAWABZADA MURTAZA ALI KHAN

New Coinage

The Government's move to divide the rupee into cents will, no doubt, be appreciated by the public. We, however, hope that Government will not do away with the terms annas and pies and will designate 10 cent coins as annas, and 1 cent coins as pies, because the anna and pie are indigenous terms and it is unnecessary to introduce a foreign term like cent. During the period of transition the terms new anna and new pie can be used.

NAZIR LATIF.

Bandra Municipality

The Bandra Municipal Board is scheduled to meet for the last time on 8th June 1945. As is the custom with the Dias Group, when in absolute majority the last meeting of the Board is to be used for the distribution of patronage or favour. In 1938 when it was feared that the Congress would come in with some strength, the last meeting of the then Board was utilised for increase of the grades of the officer who had served the board "faithfully." This time the occasion is to be utilised for an extension to the Municipal Engineer who had his service extended twice before. This gentleman was responsible for a considerable amount of unauthorised expenditure incurred mainly to please the councillors of the majority party. He is to have a third extension.

Will the Collector of Bombay intervene and ask the President not to commit the incoming board to so serious a step as granting an extension to an officer who has shown no extraordinary talents and whose record is a record of just a mediocrity?

"PLAIN TRUTH."

U. S. Reinforcements For Okinawa

"Superforts" Bomb Central Honshu In Jap Homeland Twice In 24 Hours

WASHINGTON, JUNE 10 (U. P. A.): A "VERY LARGE" FORCE OF AMERICAN SUPERFORTRESSES BLASTED A STRATEGIC TARGET IN CENTRAL HONSHU TODAY, THE WAR DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED.

IT WAS THE SECOND "SUPERFORTRESS' ATTACK ON THE JAPANESE HOMELAND WITHIN THE PAST 24 HOURS.

U. S. Drive On Toma

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10 (U.P.A.)—The Americans "are pouring reinforcements into the Oroku Peninsula on Okinawa", and United States troops supported by 100 tanks are driving on Toma, the Tokyo Radio reported in a broadcast today.

MACARTHUR WOULD COMMAND LABUAN INVASION

MANILA, June 10 (U.P.A.)—Commenting on Japanese radio reports that the Allies had invaded Labuan off the North-west coast of Borneo, military sources here pointed out that any such operation would be under the command of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, since he is overall commander of Australian and Dutch forces engaged in the Tarakan landing.

NEW JAP WARTIME ADMINISTRATIVE SYSTEM

LONDON, June 10 (Reuter).—The Japanese News Agency today (Sunday) stated, "Government has decided to establish a new war-time administrative system in line with its programme for intensifying the internal administrative setup in view of the critical development in the war situation.

Philippines Congress Honours MacArthur

MANILA, June 10 (Reuter).—The Philippine Congress, conferring yesterday for the first time since the election in 1941, unanimously passed a resolution conveying the gratitude of the Philippines' Congress to Gen. MacArthur and his gallant forces for the liberation of the Philippines and making him an honorary citizen of the Philippines.

In Burma

ALLIED ADVANCE IN PEGU YOMAS

ADV. HQ., ALFSEA, June 10 (A.P.I.) "Our troops captured Tanbingon, a village in the foothills of the Pegu Yomas, 26 miles north-east of Letpadan," says today's S.E.A.C. 'communique'.

"Fifty-nine enemy dead were counted in the village.

"In the Punggyi area, 20 miles west of Pegu, Indian troops met stiff enemy opposition in two villages which were captured after an airstrike and an artillery concentration.

NEW SPEED PLANES FOR PACIFIC BATTLE

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): Details of new military aeroplanse which will soon see service against the Japanese, have just been released by the British Ministry of Aircraft Production.

First on the list is the Lincoln Superbomber. Belonging to the Lancaster family and powered by four Rolls Royce engines, Lincoln has greater range, higher speed and bigger bombload than the Lancaster. British air experts predict that it will drop the R.A.F.'s tenton bomb on Japanese war production centres.

The chief of the remaining three planes, all fighters, is the Vampire singleseater jetpropelled machine. Powered by gas turbines, its speed exceeds 500 miles an hour.

The second fighter, called Hornet, is a scaled down version of the Mosquito and specially designed for service in the far east. It's top speed is in the region of 460 miles per hour.

The third of the new fighters is the Spiteful, which is developed from the famed spitfire.

"UNFAIR DISCRIMINATION AGAINST INDIANS"

Fears Of American Papers Groundless: Immigration Bill Must Be Passed, Says Sir C. B. Mehta

BOMBAY, June 9 (A.P.I.): Sir Chunilal B. Mehta, who led the Indian delegation to the international business conference held a few months ago at Rye, in the U.S.A. has issued a statement, expressing regret over the opposition voiced by certain American newspapers to the Indian Immigration Bill.

Sir Chunilal says:

The Indian public was pleased to learn that consideration of the Indian Immigration Bill, which was postponed 'sine die' by the House of Representatives Committee of the United States, was reported to have been taken up again by the Committee. In that connection, it was also reported that President Truman and Lord Halifax had both strongly supported the bill. It was also reported that there were good prospects of the bill passing through the Committee and that there would not any difficulty in the House itself.

Recently, it has been reported that the Hearst newspaper chain has started a campaign against the passing of the Bill on the plea that the great Asiatic countries with their hundreds of millions of population, could quickly over-run any occidental nation. This indicates that the wrath of the Hearst chain papers is particularly directed against India and Indians, as the restrictions against Chinese immigration, whose population, as is well known is much larger than that of India have already been removed.

'Americans cannot and should not forget the services already rendered and are still being rendered by India and the Indian people to the Allied cause during the war. And it would be a piece of great ingratitude and unjust and unfair discrimination if, at this state there is any attempt made to sabotage the bill.

'The fears of the American papers are entirely groundless and are paraded only to stampede the Committee into opposition to this bill, which proposes to give only what is due to the Indians.

"The Indian public hopes that the British Government and the Government of India will put forward strong diplomatic representations and use their persuasive powers to get a safe passage for the Indian Immigration Bill.

"Excess Profit Must Be Made Available To Workers"

A.-I. T. U. C. President Demands Blue Print For Labour In India On Lines Of Beveridge Report

CALCUTTA, June 10 (U.P.I.): A demand that there should be a blue print for labour in India on the line of the Beveridge report was made by Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose, President of the All-India Trade Union Congress presiding over the Provincial Trade Union Conference at Wellington Square today.

Referring to the Wavell plan Mr Bose considered the release of Congress and Labour Leaders as essential to create an atmosphere of good will. The plan should contain an offer of substantial independence for India and economic freedom for workers.

Mr. Bose ascribed the cloth famine as in the case of food famine to bungling by the Government which, he said, must be substituted by a popular government.

He complained that several ordinances that had been passed prevented workers from pursuing legitimate activities but allowed employers to enjoy uncontrolled profit.

The speaker suggested that an ordinance should be promulgated compelling employers to grant wages and dearness allowance fully compensating the cost of living. He also suggested that instead of sharing profit with employers the Government should make excess profit available to workers.

Arab League On Syria

Support To British Viewpoint

CAIRO, June 9 (Reuter): The Arab League Council again met this morning and immediately went into a secret session. Even members of the secretariat of the delegations were excluded.

A brief Communique was issued later saying that the Council had met in order to "complete" its examination and will meet again on Monday morning, cables Martin Herlihy, Reuter's special correspondent.

It is learned from well-informed sources that the attitude of the League favours the British viewpoint of localising the Levant dispute as far as possible. The delegates take the view that they were summoned to deal with a specific cases of aggression and are not prepared to wander into other political fields.

INCREASED RUSSO-JAP TENSION

NEW YORK, June 10 (U.P.A.)—A dispatch to the New York "Times" from Stockholm reported that Soviet observers in the Swedish capital saw an indication of tension between the Russians and the Japanese in Moscow's refusal to permit Nipponese officials who fled from Germany to pass from Sweden through the Soviet Union 'en route' home.

When Zhukov Encircled Japanese Army

MOSCOW, June 10 (U.P.A.)—Marshal Zhukov, conqueror of Berlin, told the Press today that when he was in charge of Soviet operations in outer Mongolia in August 1939 the fighting between the Russians and Japanese there was of a local character.

Zhukov said the fighting lasted ten days, at the end of which time the Japanese Sixth Army was completely encircled.

Asked to compare the Germans with the Japanese, Zhukov said the Germans were stronger technically but the Japanese soldier "is stubborn and fights fanatically.....remember that very well."

Chinese 280 Miles From Shanghai

CHUNGKING, June 10 (Reuter).—The Chinese 'communique' today reported that Chinese forces driving in Kwangsi Province have recaptured Peishao, 25 miles north of Kwellin, and about 120 miles north-east of Luichow.

The 'communique' also reported the recapture of Futing in Fukien Province. The liberation of this city puts the Chinese forces driving along the east coast 280 miles south of Shanghai, and about 150 miles north of Foochow.

New Australian Landing

MELBOURNE, June 10 (Reuter).—Australians have made a new landing at Matchin Bay on the west coast of northern Bougainville—in the Solomons—according to an Army report issued here today. The new landing threatens the Japanese concentration on Bonis Peninsula.

Beynet's Charge Against Britain

BEIRUT, June 9 (U.P.A.): Gen Etiene Beynet, French High Commissioner in Beirut, said today that the French had proof that the British sent machine-guns and sub machine-guns to Syrian gendarmes who used the weapons against the French.

Beynet hinted that British arms and money encouraged the Syrians in their anti-French stand. He said the French has asked the British not to send such weapons as machine-guns, as the work of keeping order throughout the country required only rifles at the most.

"TRYING TO GET BACK INTO POWER"

Kerala Youth Conference's Protest

The first session of the Kerala Youth Congress, Bombay, was held on Saturday evening at the Nappoo Gardens, Matunga. Mr. R. M. Manakkalath, a prominent youth Congress worker from Kerala presided.

The Chairman of the Reception Committee, welcoming the visitors explained the aims of the Youth Congress.

Mr. Ravindra Varma, Vice-President of the Indian Students' Congress, inaugurating the Conference appealed to the young men of the country to carry on the fight for freedom.

The President in his address reviewed the political situation inside the country and outside since the beginning of the war and, characterising the San Francisco Conference as a farce, said that even Molotov's speech about India was a case of the Devil quoting the scripture. He asked why Molotov had not insisted on Nationalist Indian delegates if he was so keen on the freedom of Colonies. Indian freedom, he said, would not be given as a gift by anybody and the Indian communist party which was banking upon Soviet Russia for freedom was, the President stated, an anti-Nationalist organisation with whom Nationalist India could have no truck. The Youth Congress, under the guidance of the National Congress and Gandhiji, was fighting for the freedom of the country and every help was solicited from Nationalists for this work. Concluding he requested everyone to work out the Constructive programme of Gandhiji to achieve Kisan-Mazdoor-Praja Raj. A member of the audience requested the President to give him a few minutes to speak, but permission was refused on the ground that he was a communist.

RESOLUTIONS WERE PASSED CONGRATULATING THE CONGRESS ASSEMBLIES IN THEIR DECISION TO EXCLUDE COMMUNISTS AND PROTESTING AGAINST THE ACTIONS OF CERTAIN LEADERS WHO WERE TRYING TO GET BACK INTO POWER WHEN THE LEADERS WERE IN JAIL.

At intervals the audience were entertained with music and dance.

TÊTE-A-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT

The opportunity which a political settlement offers to both Britain and India is so exceptional, so unprecedented in history that on its being grasped a the right time depends much more than the future of Britain and India.

—Sardar K. M. Panikkar, Prime Minister of Bikaner, in a "Manchester Guardian" article.

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According to the London "Daily Herald" Political Correspondent, Mr. Churchill is expected to take part in the Commons' debate "when he will have to submit to sharp criticism for his cat-and-mouse tactics with the Indian political issues."

Provided there IS a debate.

But if it does take place we may be treated to an exciting performance of spitting, scratching, growling, etc., etc.

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Apropos of the alleged Wavell plan, Dr. Shyamaprosad Mookerjee says: "It seems clear, however, that real power will not be transferred to the hands of the people's representatives."

Lest, presumably, there should be any misunderstanding of what exactly he meant, the Doctor added: "the Hindu Mahasabha would not accept any settlement which would ignore its rightful claim to speak for the Hindu community." And that's that.

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"The price of gold in London has been increased by four shillings and three pence for fine ounce, according to a Treasury announcement."—Reuter.

Our Indian mouth waters. What a pity we—er—sold nearly all our gold many many years ago. And please don't laugh. Of course we "sold" it.

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"Jerusalem, June 7.—Palestine today joined Egypt, Syria, Transjordan and Iraq in waging a great struggle against the first revi i tation of desert locusts in fifteen years."—U.P.A.

No, no, no. You are quite wrong. Desert locusts mean desert locusts.

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A correspondent, just returned from the Russian occupied Danish Bornholm Island, reports that the Red Army is behaving with scrupulous correctness and refrains strictly from interfering with the life and politics of the inhabitants.

That must profoundly disappoint somebody especially when a General Electioneering is on.

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It is announced that the Russians have withdrawn their opposition to other Great Powers' trusteeship proposals and accepted their formula.

This is only fair on the basis of one good turn, etc., etc.

If the other Great Powers accepted the Soviet addendum to the veto formula, the Soviet should in reciprocity have accepted their addendum of "self-government" to Trusteeship formula.

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We learn from San Francisco that "worn out by the long fretful controversy over the veto, the delegates are hailing the last phase with infinite relief...."

Last phase or last phrase?

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Addressing the Diet before liquidating it, Admiral Suzuki said, "Japan eagerly desires further promotion of friendly relations with neutral Powers."

That is to say the U.S.S.R. But suppose Russia responds in a friendly spirit and gives Japan some genuinely friendly advice, for example, "unconditional surrender"?

GRAND VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT

A programme that is as varied as it is interesting has been arranged by the Youth Culture Centre for the grand variety entertainment which will hold at the Sir Cowasjee Jehangir Hall on Friday June 15 at 7 p.m. Talented artists will grace the occasion with their performance, among these being Mrs. Ava Chatterji, a famous singer, Miss Monorama, famous Kathak dancer, Miss Gita Roy Chowdhury, Manipuri dancer, Professor Bipin Sinha, exponent of the Manipuri dance, will perform with his pupils, Mr. Parbati Kumar, Kathakali dancer, Mr. Ram Gangull, Music Director of Prithvi Theatre, will perform on his sitar, Mrs. Das, famous singer, Miss Sulochana Kumaran, who along with Mrs. Chatterji and Mrs. Das will further enliven and enhance the function with her songs, etc.

Tickets can be had from the following: The Manager, Indian National Bank, 75 Apollo Street, 760 Parsee Colony, Dadar, Bengal Waterproof, Hornby Road and M. D. Japheth, United Artists, Marshall Building Ballard Estate. Tickets will also be available at the door on the day of the function from 8-30 a.m. Special rates will be in force for Service personnel in uniform.

LAHORE, June 10 (A.P.I.): The District Magistrate of Lahore has issued an order under section 144 Cr. P. C. banning all public meetings of a political nature in Lahore on June 9 and 10 and up to the morning of June 11. This action was taken in view of the proposed observance of Jai Prakash Narain Day today.

Indian Rice Merchants Want Re-entry Into Burma

Commerce Secretary Requested To Provide Passage Facilities

The following speech was delivered by Seth Vali Mahomed Dada, President of the Conference of Rice Merchants' Associations of India, Burma and Ceylon, (together with a copy of the application form of the Government of Burma attached), when he, with his colleagues of the Committee of the Conference, waited in a Deputation on the Honourable Mr. N. R. Pillai, C.I.E., C.B.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Commerce, at the New Custom House on Saturday, the 9th June, 1945, at 12 Noon (N.S.T.).

Mr. Pillai,

Allow me to offer you our grateful thanks for so readily agreeing to meet us in a deputation at such a short notice. It is really very kind of you to do so because we know how busy you have been keeping all these days.

Mr. Pillai, as you know, a Conference of the various Rice Merchants' Associations of India, Burma and Ceylon was formed in 1941. My colleagues and I have been selected by the Committee of that Conference to wait upon you in a deputation and represent to you their views in regard to some of the most vital matters which are bound to affect our position in Burma and in the rice trade between Burma, India and Ceylon which we have built up. Permit us to say that the Conference of the Rice Merchants' Associations, which we represent, carry almost the entire rice trade between Burma, India and Ceylon. You will, therefore, appreciate that we represent one of the most important trades between Burma and India. As a matter of fact, apart from the labour engaged in carrying on the various activities connected with the rice trade, nearly 200,000 Indians depend for their livelihood on this trade which the Members of our Associations have built up during the last several decades. You are perhaps aware that the total acreage under rice in Burma when it formed part of India was hardly 4 million acres. It was after the Indian merchants went to Burma and took interest in the development of the rice trade between Burma and India that the acreage increased to nearly 12-1/2 million acres. The result, therefore, has been that while there were no appreciable exports of rice from Burma about 1886 these exports from Burma to India and Ceylon went up to nearly 2-1/2 million tons in 1936/39, that is, the year before the outbreak of the war. It is this huge trade exceeding nearly 30 crores of rupees which the various Associations forming the Conference of which I have the good fortune to be the President, have built up. I am submitting these facts to you so that the importance of our Conference may be appreciated and the great stakes which the Members of our Associations have in Burma may be fully realised. You will, therefore, agree with us that any steps that may be taken in restoring the normal civil life in the liberated parts of Burma will always be a matter of great concern to our Conference. Now that most important parts of Burma have been liberated and civil activities under Military regime have begun to function in several parts of that country, we consider it our duty to request you to secure for us all the facilities that are needed for enabling us to proceed to that country and resume our usual activities at as early a date as possible in the large trade that we have built up between the two countries. May we recall here with gratitude the pleasant fact that when the Rice Control Order was promulgated by the Government of Burma in 1941, it was the Honourable Sir A. Ramaswami Mudaliar, the then Commerce Member, and your goodself who were pleased to take such effective action as maintained the position and safeguarded the interests of the Indian rice merchants in Burma and in the rice trade between Burma, India and Ceylon.

The first question is that we must have the facilities to proceed to Burma. We know that Burma is at present under Military control. No one can proceed to that country without the permission of the South-East Asia Command. We are, however, reliably informed that representatives of British Business have gone to Burma and are being given facilities for re-starting their business. It is true that they may have fulfilled all the technical requirements that might be necessary to proceed to that country. As a man of human affairs, it will not be difficult for you to understand how Indians are at a disadvantage in this matter as compared to the members of the ruling race. The start which the British Business have thus got may enable them to so consolidate their position and develop their activities and that the same may place the Indian Business at a considerable disadvantage in the future. We have to request you, therefore, to secure for us such facilities as may have been given to the representatives of the British Business for starting their business activities even when Burma is under military control at present.

The Burma Government has recently given an advertisement in the Press calling upon Indians to fill certain application forms. It is difficult to understand what the object of the Government is in asking Indians to give the particulars required in this form. I have got a copy of the form in question here with me. If you will be good enough to look at it, you will be convinced of the fact that there could be no necessity to call upon the Indians to furnish the information required in the form at this stage. We understand from a letter written by the Government of Burma to the Burma Indian Chamber that the information required in the form is not required by the Military authorities. The information is called for to enable the Burma Government to revive their records which may have been lost. I can assure you, Mr. Pillai, all such information was never asked for from Indian merchants in the past. I may further add that once Indians proceed to Burma and resume their normal activities and if after that, the Government of Burma call for from them such information with a view to enable them to maintain their records, Indians would not object to give all reasonable assistance to the Government of Burma in that direction. We, however, fear that there is some ulterior object in asking for information required in the form. We must be, therefore, on our guard. We were advised that we should not give the information required in the form in question. In any case, the furnishing of the information required in the form cannot be the condition precedent to our proceeding to Burma and resuming our normal activities which we used to carry on there before the outbreak of the war.

Mr. Pillai, we are conscious of the fact that it is the duty of the Commonwealth Relations Department to assist us in proceeding from India to Burma. To speak more correctly, it is the duty of that Department to safeguard our rights in the matter of our entry and re-entry into Burma. You will, however, appreciate our anxiety to proceed to that country at the earliest date possible. Attempts are, however, being made to delay our departure to that country. We are told that ships will not be available in adequate numbers to carry us across the Bay of Bengal. We shall, therefore, be obliged to you, Mr. Pillai, if you will be good enough to look into this vital question and assure us that you will do your best to secure the necessary number of ships to carry Indians from India to Burma when the civil government begins to function. During the military government period, however, as mentioned above, you will be good enough to secure for Indian Business the same facilities for proceeding to that country as may be accorded to the British Business with the assistance of His Majesty's Government by the South-East Asia Command. Our submission is that Indians should be treated on a footing of equality and without any discrimination in all these matters along with the Britishers proceeding to that land.

Members of our Associations are extremely anxious to go to Burma at an early date and resume their activities in the rice trade. We are not only interested in the export of rice. Many of us are engaged also in the milling of paddy and turning it into rice. You will be interested to know that members of our Associations were milling more than one-third of the entire production of paddy of Burma. You will agree with me, Mr. Pillai, that it is a reasonable request of our Conference to the Government of India to help its members in regaining their position as rice millers and re-establishing their rights as rice merchants and rice exporters in Burma. We, however, understand that attempts are being made by the Food Ministry of His Majesty's Government to capture the rice trade of Burma. We further gather that the entire exportable surplus may be taken up by the U.K.C.C. We hear reliable reports that the Food Ministry, the U. K. C. C. and the Ministry of War Transport may pool together and so evolve a plan that the Indian rice merchants may be completely kept out of the rice trade and rice exports of Burma to India and Ceylon. It will be a calamity if such a position is allowed to develop. Plausible arguments are however likely to be advanced to keep us out of the trade. We are afraid that we will be told that the exportable surplus must be distributed equitably and justly amongst the liberated parts of the world which are bound to be largely short of the necessary foodstuffs. It is not our intention to work against any plan of equitable distribution of the foodstuffs of the world amongst those parts of the world which are badly in need of them. You will, however, appreciate our desire to place our knowledge, experience and the organisation which we have built up during the last several decades for the procurement, movement and the distribution of such foodstuffs on such a basis as may be laid down to meet the just needs of the different parts of the world. If, I may repeat the argument in different words, I may say that rice should be exported from Burma to India and Ceylon through the normal channels of trade. We have got immense stakes in that trade. We have therefore to request you to safeguard our future position in that trade. May I, in this connection, bring to your notice the fact that the Secretary of State for Burma assured, only very recently, the oil interests that the positions which they had built up in Burma would be completely safeguarded. We want an assurance from our Government that the position which the rice merchants have built up in the rice trade between India and Burma will also be safeguarded in a similar way, and that trade will be allowed to move only through the normal and regular channels of trade which existed before the outbreak of the war.

Mr. Pillai, I do not desire to take up much of your time. Members of the Associations forming the Conference are anxious to return to Burma at the earliest date. We want you to help them in their desire to go there at the earliest date possible. We also want you, as I have stated above, to assure us that nothing will be allowed to be done which will affect our position, status and interests which we have built up, but that every facility will be given to us so that we may be able to carry on our activities of milling and exporting rice in the future as we have done in the past. Let me once again express our gratitude to you for allowing us to wait upon you in a Deputation and giving us such a patient hearing. May I now request you, Mr. Pillai, to kindly advise us as to how we should re-start our normal activities in Burma and what steps the Government of India propose to take to ensure that our position, status and interests in Burma will be safeguarded in the future as in the past?

Mr. Pillai assured the deputationists that he would do his best to safeguard the interests of the members of the Rice Merchants' Associations.

Wavell Team Sets Up Hurdles For New Plan

Prospective Invitees To 'Ad Hoc' Committee

NEW DELHI, June 9, (U.P.I.).

The British Government's proposals brought by Lord Wavell which, it is believed, mainly relate to an interim arrangement at the Centre appears to have met with vehement opposition from the Indian Members of the Viceroy's Executive Council, according to talks current in political circles here.

VITAL OBJECTIONS

It is understood that the scheme did not find favour with the Indian Executive Councillors on several grounds among which are stated to be that the present offer falls short of the Cripps proposals which were rejected by the main political parties of India: the veto of the Viceroy and the overriding power of the Secretary of State for India which was made one of the root points by the Congress during the Cripps negotiations is retained without modifications; the scheme does not stipulate conferment of Dominion Status on India on the cessation of hostilities in the East; commercial safeguards in the interest of the British trade and industry are to continue as heretofore; and the political parties which co-operated with the war efforts are ignored.

POLITICAL PARTIES WON'T HAVE IT

It has been further pointed out that the scheme is not likely to produce enthusiasm among the major political parties or the people at large who have been entertaining the hopes of a better offer if not the grant of substance of independence.

It is believed that the Hindu Members of the Executive Council have submitted a further note disapproving the communal structure of the proposed interim Government.

Whom Will Viceroy Invite?

Speculation has started here as to the invitations to the representatives of the various political parties by the Viceroy to join an 'ad hoc' committee which is expected to meet at Delhi to execute the plan regarding the interim Government at the Centre.

According to one view 23 members will be called in to suggest a panel of names for inclusion in the new Executive Council which is to consist of Congress, five Muslim League, one Sikh, one Scheduled Castes and one member from other minority communities. It is surmised by some political observers that those who are likely to be in the 'ad hoc' committee include Gandhiji, Mr. Jinnah, eleven Premiers of Governors and Section 93 Provinces, leaders of four parties in the Central Assembly, leaders of the two parties in the Council of State, one leader of the Akali Sikh community, one leader of the Scheduled Castes and two members of the Viceroy's Executive Council. So far as the ex-Premier of Bengal is concerned it is understood that Sir Nazimuddin will be invited as he was the Premier immediately before Section 93 was promulgated.

Master Tara Singh and Dr. Ambedkar, it is believed, will be invited as representatives of the Akali Sikhs and the Scheduled Castes respectively.

Party leaders in the Central Legislative Assembly who are likely to receive invitation are Mr. Bhulabhai Desai, Nawabzada Liaquatali Khan, Dr. P. N. Banerji, Sir Henry Richardson, Mr. G. S. Motilal and Mr. Hussain Imam.

Political circles appear to be under the impression that the 'ad hoc' committee will not be asked to suggest modification in the Viceroy's plan or make any change in the composition of the new Cabinet as may be proposed. With the exception of the Defence portfolio the whole Executive Council will be Indianised, but it is believed that the essential condition for this innovation will be a whole-hearted co-operation with war effort against Japan.

ELECTION STUNT

According to political analysts the present offer is being made to counteract the propaganda about Indian independence at San Francisco to forestal the Labour Party's attempt to put the Tories in the wrong box at the forthcoming general election and seize the present time, which is considered as psychologically opportune to come to some sort of a political settlement with India.

LEADERS TO BE SET FREE

NEW DELHI, June 10 (U.P.I.): There is a growing optimism in political circles here that the release of the Congress Working Committee members is almost a certainty and will immediately follow or synchronise with the official release of His Majesty's Government's proposals regarding a political settlement.

MAHASABHA PARTIES IN LEGISLATURES

NEW DELHI, June 9 (A.P.I.): The formation of a Hindu Mahasabha Party in the Legislatures of the country is foreshadowed in a statement by Mr. Ganpat Rai, a member of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha Committee.

TEHERAN, June 9 (Reuter): The Soviet Air Force received more than 275 million gallons high octane petrol in two years from the Anglo-American "P4" oil plant in Persia it was officially disclosed here today.

LABOUR DIVIDED ON WAVELL PLAN

Likelihood Of Final Rumpus Over India If Proposals Are Not Announced Before Thursday

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, June 10.

The first Parliament of King George the Sixth dissolves in the eighth year of his reign, after a lifetime of nine years and six months. It was elected in 1935 and should have ended not later than November 1940, but it prolonged its own life from year to year. In the past five years, it also prolonged undemocratic rule in India by vesting government powers in the hands of provincial Governors. These powers and many other things were done for India, in the name of the British public by the House, when very often not even 50 to 60 out of 600 odd members were present! After Friday next this Parliament will at last be no more.

The King has signed its death warrant on the advice of his Prime Minister. The latter's political opponents described his action as a crazy and dirty trick in politics. But in the next five days, there is likely to be one final rumpus over India. This may still be avoided if Government takes note of the strong feeling in parliamentary circles, and agrees to announce its proposals regarding India earlier than Thursday next, as at present scheduled. There is a volume of opinion which wants a proper debate on these proposals. As the 'Manchester Guardian' points out, a mere statement like Amery's after question-time either on Wednesday or Thursday, is not going to satisfy the House. Members will insist that Government must not dodge the debate. This is possible only if the statement is forthcoming either on Monday or Tuesday or even Wednesday.

Meanwhile, in the absence of any clue as to the nature of the statement, there are several reports of speculative character. There is also report of some leakage in India regarding the nature of the proposal. This in itself is put forward as another argument for an early statement. The majority of Conservatives believe that Wavell and Amery have devised an idea which will commend itself to most sections of Indian political life and which will tide India over, for the duration of the war with Japan and lay the basis of a permanent settlement. On the other hand, Labour members are divided. Their official spokesmen on India like Attlee, Cripps and Listowel, do not hesitate to say that the proposals will not be satisfactory, but they are as anxious as, appears, is Rajagopalachari, that Indians should accept them and make the best of them. In conversations with every Indian of any importance at present in Britain Cripps and Listowel have urged acceptance of the proposals whatever their nature. This is neither rumour nor mere heresay.

DID CHURCHILL SET UP PROPOSALS?

Is it a co-incidence that these two Labourites should have used language similar to that reported to have been used by Rajagopalachariar—"Rejection of offers has become a habit with Indians. Let them accept what little power is offered, then fight for the rest of their rights." This statement was made to me in the name of Cripps as early as Friday. But there are other Labourites who have sat on opposition benches and criticised the whole Government on the India policy even through coalition. They suspect, as "Daily Herald's" political correspondent reports this morning that Churchill is personally responsible for the proposals.

The "Daily Herald" alleges: "Against pressure from Labour Ministers in coalition, Churchill opposed the plan and postponed decision until the new Government was formed. Now Churchill has agreed to it with the proviso that the Governor-General must have the right of veto. It is doubtful whether Indian representatives will accept this shadow of Wavell's plan". This is putting it mildly. I have heard the proposals described in advance of course as "new jiggery pokery—by A.B.C."—Meaning of course that Amery Bracken and Churchill are its authors.

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): Jack London, British heavyweight champion, has signed to meet Bruce Woodcock northern area Cruiserweight champion for the heavy-weight title in the open air at Tottenham Hotspur Football Ground, London, on July 17.

CHUNGKING, June 10 (U.P.A.): First Plenary Session of the Fourth Chinese People's Political Council will be held July 7th, it was announced today.

HOOP JUNIOR WINS KENTUCKY DERBY

LOUISVILLE, (Kentucky) June 9 (Reuter): HOOP JUNIOR won the Kentucky Derby run, over 1-1 2 miles, on Churchill Downs today. Pot O Luck was second and Darby Dieppe third.

The race was the richest in the 71 years of its history with the value of over £20,000.

The winner received about £6,000.

Hoop Junior paid nine dollars forty cents for a two-dollar stake starting favourite.

FRANCE BEATS BR. LIBERATION ARMY

PARIS, June 10 (Reuter): More than 35,000 saw France, represented by the team which recently drew with England at Wembley, defeat the British Liberation Army team four-two at Colombes Stadium this afternoon.

TARAPOREWALA CUP TOURNAMENT

POONA, June 9 (A.P.I.): The final of the Taraporewala Cup Football Tournament between No. 3 I.B.G.H. and the Royal Marines 'A', will be played on Monday evening at the Subarea sports grounds.

Munawar Cup Tournament Again Ends In Draw

KARACHI, June 9 (A.P.I.): For the third time, the Karachi Police—Rawalpindi Spartons match in the quarter final of the Munawar Cup hockey tournament, ended in a goal-less draw, despite extra time, this evening.

The exchanges were even in the first half, but, after resumption, the visitors were mostly in the picture. They however, did not avail of two easy scoring chances. Towards the closing stages, a penalty bully in their favour also frizzled out.

MUSLIM GYM. BEAT SPITFIRES

MADRAS, June 9 (A.P.I.): The Muslim Gymkhana from Nagpur moved into the quarter-final of the M. U. C. Hockey tournament today by defeating the Spitfires by 8 goals to nil.

THE SKIPPO FUND FOR INDIA RELIEF

LONDON, June 2 (U.P.A.): All necessary permits for sending medical supplies to India have been secured by the India Relief Committee after prolonged negotiations with various government offices, the United Press of America learned today.

Arrangements have also been completed with shipping agents. Five thousand pounds sterling worth of medical supplies are being dispatched, the drugs being consigned by B. C. Roy.

The semi-official Skippo Fund is planning to send mobile canteens to India. The Skippo Fund is being sponsored by Lady Willingdon and Lord Clarendon, who were described as "such great friends of India and her people" by Sir Samuel Ranganadhan, Indian High Commissioner to Britain, speaking at a Skippo Fund reception today.

Philippines And India

LONDON, June 9 (U.P.I.)—Indian circles in the U.S.A. are closely watching developments regarding the independence of the Philippines.

They believe the solution of the Philippines' problem should materially help the Indian cause.

In this connection the "Chicago Sun" reports from Washington. "While delegates to the San Francisco Conference were striving to protect the claims of their respective Governments on colonies, possessions and protectorates, Senator Tydings has planned to lay before the Senate a programme which would make the Philippines wholly independent not only politically but economically."

Mr. Tydings' idea seems to secure the independence of this American colony even before the end of the Japanese War.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT'S LAST DAYS

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): Britain's Parliament of Three Kings has less than a week to live, writes Reuter's political correspondent. The historic ten-year old legislature which directed Britain's destinies when she stood nearer defeat than ever before, has existed under three monarchs—King George V, King Edward VII and King George VI—and three Governments—Tory, War Coalition and Caretaker.

Next Friday it will die quietly, prorogued by a speech from the King, although His Majesty himself will not be present. Probably only a handful of members will attend the final obsequies, as a great many are already in their constituencies, hard at work campaigning for the general election which takes place on July 5.

When Parliament assembles after its election, the permanent staff at Westminster, including the army of attendants and policemen, will have to familiarise themselves with anything up to 250 new faces.

Retirements alone touch the three-figure mark, apart from new members of Parliament who will emerge from the election.

CZECHS TO THROW OUT SUDETEN GERMANS

Benes Announces Call Up For Peace-Time Army

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): The Prague Government has announced its intention of clearing the border regions of all Sudeten Germans and has dispatched regular and partisan forces to deal with the expected resistance of the inhabitants.

New Czech Army

MOSCOW, June 9 (Reuter): Czechoslovakia is to have peace-time army similar to its pre-Munich one President Benes told the "Red Star" correspondent in Prague.

"I have signed an order for calling up by the Minister of Defence of recruits of five age-groups who have already served in the Army before the war", he said.

"I personally and the Minister of Defence will see that these cadets are trained as quickly as possible."

Tiso Captured

TWELFTH ARMY GROUP HEADQUARTERS, June 9 (U.P.A.): Dr. Josef Tiso, former puppet President of Slovakia, and two members of his entourage were captured by troops of the U. S. Third Army in south-eastern Bavaria yesterday.

No Continuation Of Dearness Allowance

Ahmedabad Millowners Reject Labour Demand

AHMEDABAD, June 9 (A.P.I.): The Millowners Association rejected today the demand of the Labour Association for the continuation of Dearness Allowance longer than the period of three months after the end of the European war as stipulated in the Agreement made in 1910.

In the course of a letter addressed to the Secretary of the Labour Association, the Secretary of the Millowners' Association states that "dearness allowance is not an industrial matter and the employers cannot, as a matter of right, be asked to compensate for every rise in the cost of living for the simple reason that no reduction has ever been made in wages and emoluments of workers when the cost of living has declined.

Depressed Classes Demand Three Seats

CALCUTTA, June 9, (A. P. I.): On behalf of the All-India Depressed Classes' Association, its working president, Mr. B. C. Mandal, M. L. A., in a telegram to the British Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill and the Secretary of State for India, urges three seats for the Scheduled castes in the Viceroy's Executive Council.

Mr. Mandal protests against the "neglect of the British Government" in matters of their representation in the Viceroyal Executive Council and says that one seat cannot satisfy 50 million Scheduled castes people.

MADRAS SUPPORT TO SHIVRAJ'S CABLE

MADRAS, June 9, (A. P. I.): The Madras District Scheduled Castes Federation at its meeting last evening passed a resolution strongly protesting against the gross injustice against the Scheduled Castes on the forecast proposals regarding the reorganisation of the Central Government in which out of a total of 15 seats, the Scheduled Castes have been allocated only one seat and supporting Rao Bahadur N. Sivaraj's (leader of the All-India Scheduled Castes Federation) cable to the Secretary of State for India and Prime Minister in this connection.

South Africa Supports Bretton Woods Plan

CAPETOWN, June 8 (Reuter): A unanimous decision to advise Government to take part in the Bretton Woods plan, subject to assurances that there would be sufficient international support to give the International Monetary Fund and the International Bank for Reconstruction and development, a truly multilateral character, was taken by the house of assembly today.

Mr. J. H. Hofmeyr, Minister of Finance, stressed South Africa's interest as a gold producing country in the Monetary Fund. He assured nationalists that South Africa would participate in the fund and the bank as a sovereign independent country, and not as a unit in a group.

Both speakers in Parliamentary debate and during the report stage of the select committee, which examined the Bretton Woods draft agreements, urged that as many nations as possible be brought into the scheme.

NEW CONSTITUTION FOR INDIA MUST AWAIT JAP DEFEAT?

Released Leaders May Not Accept Govt. Proposals

LONDON, June 10 (A.P.I.)—The political correspondent of the "Observer" in an article appearing in the paper today writes: "The new proposals for India to be announced next week will, if they follow the predicted lines, aim at meeting the Indian objections that two of the most important portfolios in the Viceroy's Executive Council—Finance and Home Affairs—remain in British hands.

The correspondent says that the new offer "will propose that Indians should hold all portfolios, except that of War, which Sir Claude Auchinleck would retain, and the members should be chosen from the panels drawn up by leading Indian groups, including the Congress, Muslim League and probably the Sikhs.

The correspondent says it is generally believed that the release from detention of Congress leaders will be a part of the new deal. "But it can by no means be assumed, that the acceptance of Government's proposals will be thereby ensured."

"Gandhiji and Pt. Nehru are said to be still in 'all or nothing' mood. Any sympathy felt for their case will be gravely weakened, however, if they persist in their intractibility.

"Another factor favourable to the new proposals is this that they put the immediate thing to rest. Government's line still is that a new constitution must await the defeat of Japan, but this should no longer be an obstacle to giving the Indians an effective control under the Viceroy of the country's central administration."

The correspondent hopes that if Indians from all parties can work together on the Executive Council, the path towards an agreed constitution will be greatly smoothed. But he added: "The Hindu-Muslim rivalry and Mr. Jinnah's insistence on Pakistan will remain a formidable problem. Until it is solved no British action can confer on India that status of an Independent Self-Governing country which it is the wish, both of her own leaders and the British Government, that she should have as soon as possible after the war."

STAY ORDER ON INDUSTRIAL COURT

Echo Of Ahmedabad Bonus Dispute

(From Our Correspondent)

AHMEDABAD June 8

The Bombay High Court has served a temporary stay order on the Industrial Court asking the court not to proceed with its proceedings till hearing of application filed by Ahmedabad Cotton Mills on behalf of a member of the Millowners' Association against Textile Labour Association in the High Court regarding the issue of bonus for 1944.

Hearing of the stay order has been fixed for 20th June while the hearing of the application filed by the Ahmedabad Cotton Mill has been fixed for 18th July. Major Mahajan will engage Bhulabhai Desai as their legal adviser.

JAIN NUN'S FAST UNTO DEATH

POONA, June 9 (A.P.I.): Twenty-six days after she had started her fast unto death for spiritual reasons the condition of ninety-year-old Shri Rambhakuvarji Maharaj, a Jain nun is satisfactory. Today on the 27th day she is quite conscious and her pulse is running normal. She takes a cup of water in the morning as her only diet for the whole of the day.

Harijans Proud To Follow Mahatma

LAHORE, June 10 (A.P.I.): Bhagat Amichand, a prominent Harijan leader, of Lahore, who recently returned after a month's tour of Sind, in a statement to the Press, appeals to the Harijans to co-operate with the Congress Workers' Assemblies all over India in carrying out Mahatma Gandhi's constructive programme for their betterment. He says that this will help to improve their financial position. And adds: "Mahatma Gandhi is our greatest champion and truest friend. He has always showed us the right path and so, we, the Harijans, are proud to follow Gandhiji's leadership."

Bhagat Amichand is expected to leave for Panchgani shortly to see Mahatma Gandhi.

Problems Before Indian Evacuees From Burma

SIMLA, June 9 (A.P.I.): Warm tributes to the Indian troops for the outstanding part they have played along with other Allied troops for the liberation of Burma were paid by H. E. Sir Reginald Dorman-Smith Governor of Burma, speaking at a luncheon given in his honour by Mr. Jamnadas Mehta Government of India's Representative with the Burma Government.

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta referred to the sufferings and hardships undergone by hundreds of thousands of Indians in Burma as a result of the Japanese invasion and said that the keenness of many of the stranded families temporarily returned to their houses in India and the impatience of the evacuees to return to Burma were two matters whose early disposal would be greatly welcomed not only by those concerned but also by four hundred million people of this country whose solicitude on their behalf needed no emphasis.

Tulsidas Ramayana Manuscript

CALCUTTA, June 9 (A.P.I.): The Ashutosh Museum of Indian art of the University of Calcutta has been enriched by the acquisition of a complete manuscript of Ramacharitmanasa (Ramayana of Tulsidas). This is stated to be the first fully illustrated manuscript of the Ramayana found in Bengal. Containing 152 paintings in superb colours the manuscript is dated 1694 saka (1772 A.D). It was written in Hindi by Dwija Ichchharam Misra for the edification of Rani Janaki of Mahisadal (Midnapur).

EXTERNMENT ORDER WITHDRAWN

SILCHAR, June 10 (U.P.I.): The District Magistrate of Cachar has recently withdrawn the externment order on Mahitosh Purkayastha, former General Secretary, Surma Valley Students Federation. He was externed from Cachar District under the D.I.R. in August 1942.

WOMAN BURNT IN VILLAGE FIRE

GWALIOR, June 9 (A.P.I.): One woman was burnt alive and a number of persons sustained serious burns in a disastrous fire which broke out at midnight in village Piparsana in Gwalior State. Many cattle were roasted to death and also several granaries destroyed. A good portion of the village was burnt to ashes.

ENDOWMENT FOR PRIZE IN M.A.

SANGLI, June 10, (A.P.I.): The Dowager Rani of Ichalkaranji has endowed a trust of Rs. 10,000 to the Bombay University, to be given over to the Maharashtra University when founded, for giving a prize to the student who passes M.A. with the highest number of marks in history. The trust is to be managed by the Principals of the Fergusson, Sir Parashurambhau and the Law College of Poona.

Soviet Deal To Occupied Germany

ZHUKOV ANNOUNCES CONTEMPLATED INTER-ALLIED COMMAND OF GREATER BERLIN

BERLIN, June 9 (Reuter): The Russians are adopting in Berlin a policy of just retribution and not revenge, reports Reuter's special correspondent.

Sidelights on the Soviet attitude to the beaten enemy are provided by two large notices posted up among the ruins of the German capital. The first, in Russian, tells Red Army Men: "If a German offers to surrender, take to him; don't kick a man when he is down"; while the second, in German, is a quotation from a Stalin speech stating that the strength of the Red Army rests in its having no race hatred for any nation—including the German.

HITLERS COME & GO

"Hitlers come and go, but the German people remains", is another Stalin quotation posted at other points.

In the newly-revived Berlin night-club "Kabarett Der Komiker" on Kurfurstendamn last nigh., I heard the German variety star Brigitte Mira sing a new song by one of the 3,000,000 Germans living in the collection of rubbish heaps which is now Berlin. The song "Berlin Will Rise Again", was approved by Red Army authorities and prolonged applause in which Red Army officers in the audience joined. 'What has happened cannot be helped' was the theme of the song; "While Lime-trees Bloom on Unter Den Linden, Berlin remains Berlin."

These are keys to the Red Army policy in Berlin—a policy which is apparently already bringing in dividends A well-ordered and contented population with a few instances of sabotage. Another, is the measure of self-government given the City by the appointment of the Chief Burgomaster, Arthur Werner and his group assistants each responsible for a separate section of the city's administration.

The Germans are left in no douot as to who gives the orders—Colonel General Nikolai Berzarin, the Soviet Commandant of the City, 41 years, thick-set, weighed down with work but cheerful and efficient.

RESURRECTION OF BERLIN

He gave these figures on achievements up-to-date: Electric Current restored for 27,000 buildings; 2,000 street lamps functioning as also 17 Water Works and 29 Sewege Plants—but many people are still drawing water from street pumps; 35 miles of tram-track restored; 37 tube stations re-opened; 500 miles of telephone-wire repaired; 4 Gas Works functioning; more than 3,000 foodshops opened—other shops are almost non-existent; cinemas and variety theatres opened; Berlin State Opera House orchestra re-assembled, and already performing on the Radio; schools are to be re-opened in Autumn when new text-books will be ready. The rationing system is worked out on a basis of four classes—heavy manual workers, intellectuals and dangerous job workers, white-collar workers, and dependents The rations represent considerable improvement on what Berliners received in the last months of the Hitler regime.

Gen. Berzarin stated: "The Germans are now fulfilling my orders conscientiously. Their mood is good and there are a considerable number of cases where they have helped to uncover particularly vicious Fascists. There has been isolated cases of sabotage."

66-year-old Burgomaster Werner, former head of a Technical School, told Duncan Hooper, Reuter's special correspondent: "It is hateful for us to speak against the Fatherland, but we are fortunate the war has ended in an Allied victory. Otherwise, it would mean eternal tyranny. We know hard times are ahead, but we hope, later on, we shall be respected as decent people by the rest of the world." But the Berlin man-in-the-street does not seem repentant and is only angry with Hitler because he lost the war. It is still urgently necessary to explain to the Germans just what they have done to Europe.

BERLIN—WORST DAMAGED CITY

Berlin is the worst-damaged city I have seeen, says Hooper. The great part of the city is nothing but one vast monument in broken steel and stone to the greed and folly of Hitler's Germany.

The Lustgarten is wrecked; the Air-Ministry is wrecked; the Reichstag is wrecked; everything is wrecked. On the white walls of the Reichstag, Red Army men have scrawled greetings with charred embers "Stalingrad to Berlin, May 1945."

ADMINISTRATION HEADS

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): Berlin Radio today broadcast an order by Marshal Zhukov on the administration of Soviet-occupied Germany.

It said: "I have been appointed supreme head of the Soviet Military Administration. Army General Sokolovsky has been appointed First Deputy of the supreme head of the military administration. Colonel-General Kirov has been appointed Deputy Supreme Chief in matters concerning Civil Administration. Colonel-General Kuratov has been appointed Chief of Staff of the Soviet Military Administration.

The headquarters of the Soviet Military Administration will be in the city of Berlin.

Reuter adds: Army General Sokolovsky, former Chief of Staff to Marshal Koniev, was one of the Soviet representatives at the signing of Germany's unconditional surrender in Berlin.

Colonel-General Kuratov was formerly chief of staff to General Bagramyan who captured the Baltic port of Memel in January of this year.

GERMANS "ON PROBATION"

BERLIN, (Delayed,)) June 7 (Reuter): Red Army men, occupying Berlin, are forbidden to fraternise with the population, Marshal Zhukov told Allied correspondents in Berlin, cables Reuter's special correspondent.

Receiving the press at his headquarters—a beautiful villa with lawns stretching down to Berlin lake—Marshal Zhukov said: "Relations between the Red Army and the local population are governed by strict occupation regime. This means no fraternisation."

Marshal Zhukov indicated that Berliners, with the rest of the German people, were being put "on probation", when, he said, "Relations between the Allies and the Germans will depend on the behaviour of the German people. The sooner they draw the correct conclusions from what has happened, the better it will be for them."

Marshal Zhukov added: "We are planning to organise an inter-Allied command for the job of governing Greater Berlin."

The Commandant of Berlin, Colonel General Berzarin said: "When the Allied Control Council takes over, there will be four Commandants, one from each side, and they are going to rotate."

"On the other hand, a free German Committee could help in governing Germany. I do not consider this to be a question for the present."

One economic disarmament of Germany, he said: "We must make sure Germany is unable to rise again as a military power."

THE BATTLE FOR BERLIN

Describing the battle for Berlin, Marshal Zhukov disclosed that the Russians massed 4,000 tanks, 5,000 planes and 22,000 guns and trench mortars for the job. On April 16, at 4 a.m. this force was hurled at the Germans in a single blow, while the rays of 200 searchlights blinded the German machine-gunners and anti-tank crews.

The Germans were forced to throw in reserves, thereby uncovering Berlin.

Said the Marshal: "The enemy had hoped to stop us with these reserves but that was where he miscalculated." The reserves coming up were pounded by our planes and were cut up by our tanks so that, by the time we reached Berlin, its defence was to a great extent laid bare."

"The Germans were naturally expecting an attack on the Berlin front. But the element of tactical surprise was obtained by launching an onslaught during the hours of darkness with the main weight in the centre instead of, as the Germans expected on the flanks.

"More than half a million Germans took part in the Battle of Berlin 300,000 were taken prisoner and not less than 150,000 killed." Marshal Zhukov said that the remainder "just ran". Russian casualties in the battle were below normal owing to the tremendous weight of equipment used.

VON BLACKOWITZ ARRESTED

AURICH, June 9 (Reuter): Field Marshal von Blackowitz Commander German Twenty-fifth Army, which capitulated to the Canadians on May 5, was arrested on Wednesday at his headquarters in the German concentration area, north of Aurich, it was revealed at the Second Canadian Divisional Headquarters to-day The charges against him were not immediately specified.

Field-Marshal von Blackowitz who commanded German troops in the occupation of Prague in March 1939, and later in the campaign, was once described as the "German Army."

He is 61 years of age. His last command was of German troops in Holland. Three days before the V-Day he surrendered his 120,000 men to General Foulkes.

ALLIED VICTORY PARADE IN BERLIN

BERLIN, June 9 (Reuter): A big Allied Victory Parade will take place in Berlin as soon as Allied contingents join the Red Army, according to Soviet officials here.

The Russians have already built in the city centre a huge-saluting base with portraits of Mr. Winston Churchill, the late President Roosevelt and Marshal Stalin.

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): The Dutch Radio said to-day that Gauleiter Schmidt, second in command to Seyss Inquart during the German occupation of Holland and Nazi leader in the Dutch province of Limburg has committed suicide while awaiting sentence in a prison camp.

U. N. C. I. O. DELEGATES MEET PRESSMEN

Members of the American, British and Soviet Union delegations to the United Nations Conference on International Organization hold a press conference in the U. S. Pacific coast city of San Francisco. Identifiable are: U. S. Senator Arthur H. Vandenburg (extreme left, facing camera); Deputy Prime Minister Clement Attlee of the British delegation (fourth from left); next to him is seated Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary; center, reading a paper is U. S. Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius Jr., and (right, looking towards camera, partially concealed) is Russia's Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav M. Molotov.

SAMBAMURTI ON CONGRESS GOAL

No Faith In Conference Dominated By Big Powers

BANGALORE, June 9 (A. P. I.): Mr. Bulusu Sambamurthy, Speaker of the Madras Legislative Assembly, while inaugurating a series of lectures on Journalism under the auspices of the Mysore State Journalist's Association, made passing reference to the impending announcement of the British Government's proposals to end the Indian deadlock.

Mr. Sambamurthy said that taking into consideration India's struggle for freedom and after all the professions that British politicans had made, nothing short of a practical scheme which would evolve India into a free and independent unit in a world federation would be acceptable. The ultimate goal of the Indian National Congress was a world federation of free nations in which India would figure as a free and equal unit.

Speaking of the San Francisco Conference, Mr. Sambamurthy said that as the conference was dominated by the Big Powers, any settlement arrived at on a Power Basis would not last more than a decade.

HANDLOOM INDUSTRY MUST BE PROTECTED

Joshi's Address To Sholapur Weavers' Conference

SHOLAPUR, June 9 (A. P. I.): Over 5,000 visitors interested in the hand-loom industry attended the Provincial Handloom Weavers' conference held here under the presidentship of Mr. N. M. Joshi, M. L. A.

Mr. S. S. Mirajkar, Member of the All-India Textile Control Board, who inaugurated the conference, revealed that nearly two lakhs of handlooms in the presidency required a monthly quota of 19,000 bales of yarn.

In his presidential address Mr. Joshi regretted that the handloom weavers did not get enough yarn. He advised the weavers to put forth a united demand. He added that the war in Europe was over and it was now possible for the Government of India to import Egyptian cotton and supply the required yarn to the weavers of the province.

Mrs. Pandit Not Visiting Britain At Present

LONDON, June 10 (U.P.I.): The "United Press of India" learns on excellent authority that Mrs. Vijayalaxmi Pandit has no plans of visiting London at this juncture although London Indian circles have been pressing her to pay a visit particularly during the general election.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CAMBRIDGE MAJLIS

CAMBRIDGE, June 9 ((Reuter): The Cambridge University Majlis, at the annual general meeting, elected Mr. Subrata Roy Chowdhury, of Trinity College, as President and Mr. D. C. De as Secretary. Mr. B. Rajan, the only Indian Fellow of Trinity College, was re-elected treasurer.

Mr. Chowdhury announced that during his presidency, the Majlis would carry on intensive propaganda throughout Great Britain for a full-fledged National Government in India, release of political prisoners and propagation of Congress views.

Mr. D. C. De, the Secretary, announced that the Majlis has arranged meetings on Indian problems during the next term to be addressed by members of British political parties.

BATTLE OVER REPATRIATION OF POLES

MOSCOW, June 10 (Reuter): The "Pol Press" is informed by official circles Provisional Government in Warsaw, issued this 'communique' to-day: The Pol Press is informed by official circles that the command of the Allied armies in Germany has agreed to repatriate our fellow countrymen directly from Germany to Poland. The Polish Government is sending a delegation from Warsaw to Germany to organise the repatriation."

The Poles affected, are liberated prisoners of war and civilians deported by the Germans for forced labour

LONDON, June 9 (Reuter): There is no knowledge in official quarters in London of the agreement reported in to-day's 'Pol Press' 'communique' that the Allied Command has undertaken to repatriate Polish displaced persons in Europe direct to Poland says Reuter's diplomatic correspondent.

The position regarding displaced persons of all nationalities remains unchanged, it was authoritatively stated to-night.

No displaced persons other than Russians will be repatriated against their will from the British or the United States occupation zones to the territories of Eastern Europe.

The Polish Government in London in an official statement, quoted by the Polish telegraph agencies, to-day announced that Doctor Jan Jagodzinski, head of the Polish Press Agency who was detained yesterday by the London City Police and handed over to the Polish military authorities, has been released pending fixing of Dr. Jagodzinski's trial as an alleged deserter from the Polish Army.

The British Home Secretary, Sir Edward Somervell, to-day called for a report on the circumstances of detention yesterday which were made without the knowledge of the Home Office. Investigations are also being made by the Foreign Office who have also not been informed.

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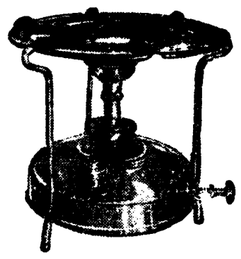

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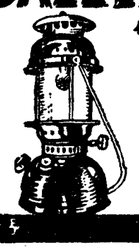

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BIG FIVE TO DECIDE VETO ISSUE

Russians Withdraw Their Opposition To Trusteeship Proposals

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9, (Reuter): The Security Council Committee meets tonight to decide the Big Five's veto settlement.

The sub committee set up to obtain from the sponsoring powers their clarification of the voting formula—"clarification" is still the technical description of the Big Five agreement—today formally referred the agreement to a full committee without comment.

RUSSIANS FALL IN LINE

The Russians have withdrawn their opposition to other Great Powers' trusteeship proposals and accepted their formula on the aims of the dependant peoples radios Stanley Burch, Reuter's special correspondent

After stressing "self-determination" for subject peoples, M. Andrei Gromyko, Soviet Ambassador in Washington and now leader of the Conference delegation, has now agreed to "independence or self-Government in accordance with the freely expressed wishes of the peoples concerned."

The Russians have also dropped their opposition to the provision safeguarding the existing mandates.

The Russian agreement—hailed by one Big Power's spokesman as "a real advance" has enabled the Big Five to reach a final settlement of this awkward issue with dramatic speed, to pass the whole of the Trusteeship Section of the Charter to the Trusteeship Committee and to get it through the Committee overnight.

It is now being referred to the Drafting Committee. Its passage through the conference is assured.

The clause that Moscow has now accepted—known as the "conservatory clause" provides for continuity of the existing mandates received from the old League of Nations

The Russians have now acquiesced to this clause with the addition of a provision that "nothing in this paragraph shall be interpreted as giving reason for delaying agreements whereby existing mandates will be brought under the new trusteeship system."

Other nations of the Big Five have raised no objection to this insertion.

OTHER OBJECTIONS

Several other Russian objections remain to be cleared. One is the Soviet proposal that the Charter should make provision for a member State to withdraw from the world organisation.

The other Great Powers are resisting this proposal and it is reliably learned that Russians are not pressing hard for it. It is expected that this point will be settled without difficulty.

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LIABILITIES:—

	Rs.
Capital Subscribed	5,04,40,000
Capital Paid Up	2,51,02,000
Reserve & Contingency Fund	2,02,00,000
Deposits, Debts due to Banks and Agents, Bills Payable etc.	1,01,25,19,000
Sundries including Branch Adjustments	18,07,45,000
Rs.	1,23,85,66,000

ASSETS:—

	Rs.
Cash Credits and Overdrafts on Government and other Authorised Securities	29,10,03,000
Loans on Government and other—Authorised Securities	6,95,15,000
Bills Discounted	4,41,81,000
Lands & Buildings	97,55,000
Sundries including Branch Adjustments	14,33,33,000
Cash in hand, at Banks, Moneys at Call and Investments in War Bonds, Government Paper, Treasury Bills, Shares, Debentures, etc.	68,07,79,000
Rs.	1,23,85,66,000

Wall Street

NEW YORK, June 9, (Reuter): Wall Street opened firm and advanced cautiously with visions of peacetime prosperity aiding the moderate advance. However selling persisted on expectations of a sizeable technical correction and confusion over international affairs. Textiles were quieter while rail and aircrafts were marked down despite brighter financial outlook. The session closed irregular.

American Telephone 170-7/8 (170 7/8), Amerex Corp 32.1/8 (31-7/8), Anaconda Copper 34-1/2 (34-1/4), Chase National 43-3/4 (43.3/4), Consolidated 16-1/8 (16-1/8), Firestone Tyre 61.3/4 (61), General Electric 43-1/8 (43.3/8), General Motors 68-1/4 (68-1/4), Ingersoll 120 (120), International Nickel 34-3/4 (34.1/2), National City Bank 45-1/4 (45-1/4), New York Central 28-1/4 (28.1/2), Socony Vacuum 16 (16), Texas Corporation 52-1/2 (52-1/2), Union Carbon 89 (88-1/2), U. S. Smelting 65 (65), U. S. Steel 68-3/8 (68), Western Union 48-3/8 (47-1/4).

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, June 9.

LONDON: Banks Buying 90 Days/st 1/6 7/32 1 and 2 months.

LONDON: Banks Buying 90 Days/st 1/6 1/4 5 to 6 months.

B C RATES: T T 1/5 15/16. D. D. 1/5 15/16.

Banks selling T. T 1/5 31/32, D. D. 1/5 31/32

Banks buying T. T 1/6 1/32. D D. 1/6 3/32.

LONDON/NEW YORK

Banks selling T. T. Rs. 332 3/4. D. D Rs. 332 3/4.

Banks buying T T. Rs. 329 1/2. D D. Rs 328 1/2.

LONDON/MONTREAL:

Banks selling T T Rs. 302 1/2. D D 302 1/2

Banks buying T T Rs. 297 3/4 D. D Rs. 295 3/4

Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Stagnant

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Tone:—Easy.

OIL MILLS CLOSE DOWN.

NAGPUR, June 9 (A.P.I.): All the three oil mills in the city have closed down following the fixing of the ceiling prices of oilcakes by the Government of Central Provinces.

Eleven More Mills Reopening

MANCHESTER June 8, (U. P. A.): Retiring Cotton Controller Sir Frank Platt announced to-day that eleven additional mills are restarting, making a total of 17 out of a total of 180 halted under the Government's concentration scheme.

The re-opening of these mills, expected on July 16, is regarded as a step towards meeting the world-wide big demands for cotton.

New York Stock Exchange

New York June 9.

New York Stock Exchange opening prices:—

General Motors dol. 63-1/2.

Anaconda Copper Mining dol. 34.3 8.

U. S. Steel Corporation (Common) dol. 68-1/2.

Preference dol. 158.—Reuter.

Indian Wool Already Shipped

NEW YORK, June 8, (U. P. A.): Traders to-day said that a considerable portion of the 35,000 bales of Indian wool destined for shipment to the United States against 1944 quotas had already been shipped and most of the remainder is expected to be shipped shortly.

Guarantee Of 'Reasonable Profit'

WASHINGTON June 9, (U. P. A.): Office of Price Administration Administrator Chester Bowles to-day promised that the Government will guarantee textile manufacturers a reasonable profit on major items.

Worth Street Market Quiet

NEW YORK, June 9: (U. P. A.): The Worth Street Cloth Market continued quiet to-day as cotton manufacturers, convinced that higher price ceilings are in the offing, cut offerings down to the vanishing point.

Buyers with even the highest priority found few supplies. The impression grew among observers that the ten week trading deadlock would continue.

American Market

NEW YORK, June 9 (Reuter): Prices advanced on overnight price-fixing partially against Spanish purchases. Further buying followed based on the discounts and the expected continuance of the price-control legislation with prospects of higher cotton textile ceilings. Scarcity of contracts intensified the advance but realising spoiled the rise. Closed steady.

Chicago Grains

Chicago grains improved on prospects of additional rye sales locally and the one cent advance in Canadian export tax on oats. However evening up of commitments checked the advance:—

May 1.67-7/8 to 1.67-7/8 (1.67-7/8 to 1.67-7/8), July 1.63-7/8 to 1.63-7/8 (1.64-1/8 to 1.64-1/4), September 1.63-3/4 to 1.63-3/4 (1.64-7/8 to 1.64-7/8).

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, June 9.

July	23.09
October	22.79
December	22.76
January	22.73
March	22.72
May	22.68
July	22.58
October	22.09
Middling Spot	23.59

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New York, June 9

July	23.04
October	22.81
December	22.76
March	22.73
May	22.66
Middling Spot	22.65

LONDON BULLION.

London, June 9.

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RAW COTTON SITUATION

The Patel Cotton Co., Ltd. has issued the following weekly report:—

Trading in the New York Futures market was largely of a routine character and values held within an extremely narrow range. The market has had to absorb liquidation and hedges in some volumes this week, most of it reflecting the large world stocks of cotton and the proposed post-war plans to sell American cotton at world prices rather than to support prices above the world level. Price fixation was again the main support under the market owing to the emphasis placed on the lateness of the crop, a relatively small supply of free cotton, relative scarcity of better grades in the C. C. C.'s stock available for sale, anticipation of increased exports of raw cotton and strong demand of cotton goods at home and abroad.

The announcement of an interim loan rate for the 1945 crop of cotton ginned before the effective date of the regular loan programme was made on the 4th inst. The interim loan provides price support for early harvested cotton of the 1945 crop and applies mainly to South Texas. The basis of the interim loan for Middling 7/8" gross weight has been declared as 19.60 cents per pound (eq. 20.85 cents for 15/16ths inch) with the same adjustments for location and quality as will be effective under the regular loan. The market's reaction to this announcement was negligible.

TWO CONTRACTS.

The Directors of the Liverpool Cotton Association have now submitted to members two alternative contracts for post-war trading. One is based on 15/16ths Universal Grade Standard and the Liverpool Standard staple. The other contract is based on Middling 15/16ths Universal Grade and staple Standards of American Argentine or Sao Paulo whichever is the "lowest on the day when cotton is tendered." Both the contracts permit tenders in Manchester with an allowance of 5 points to the buyer. Both ban any cotton below 7/8ths inch or below Strict Low Middling. No allowance is given to sellers for over 1-1/32" staple.

This proposal for alternative contracts has aroused considerable interest in cotton circles although the trade realises that it is merely tentative. Many traders appear to prefer a defined basis as stated in Number One contract to an uncertain basis as contemplated in Number Two contract, asserting that the latter might become exposed to policies of foreign governments through export subsidies. Some critics point out that neither contract makes sufficient provision for Indian cottons as the banning of staple lengths below 7/8ths inch could exclude Indian Comilla, Bengal, etc. Either of the proposed new contracts would be based on the same staple length as New York—viz. 15/16ths—whereas the old Liverpool contract was 7/8ths inch.

In any case, the proposition is purely anticipatory since the resumption of cotton future trading itself must await official sanction and largely depends upon "foreign exchange position". Liverpool cotton interests insist that cotton should be granted special foreign exchange facilities necessary to restore their international role. They argue that Liverpool spot market before the war gave great service to raw cotton producers and consumers because any growth or type of cotton could be obtained. Moreover if Liverpool is unable to give pre-war service. It may be supplanted by some other country.

LOCAL TRADING

Trading in the Bombay forward market was not particularly broad, most of the activity on either side being confined to the reduction of open position. Both bulls and bears realise that they have been carrying a large open interest and hence there was no further concerted action to press the market either way, nor was there any incentive to undertake fresh commitments. As a result, price fluctuations during the week have been narow and irregular I C C July moving between Rs. 408-3/4 and Rs 416.

Enquiries from Spain and liberated Continental countries have been a reassuring feature although actual transactions do not seem to have taken place. Demand for staple varities has shown further improvement this week.

We have received the following telegram from our Karachi office dated 7th ulto:—

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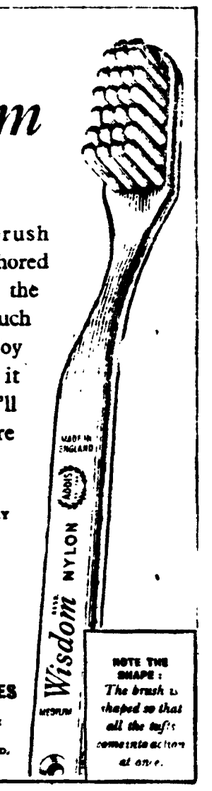

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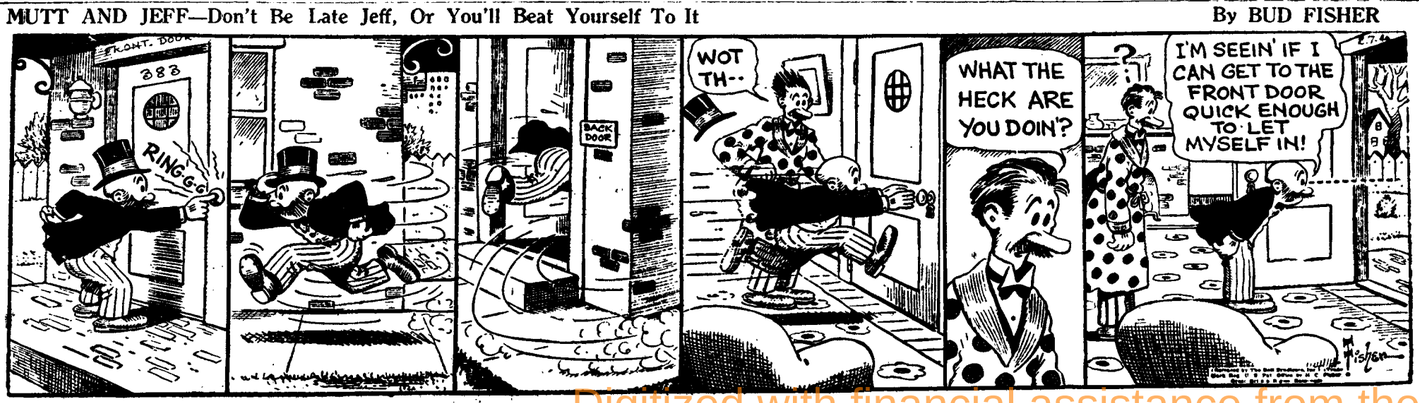

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PUBLIC NOTICES

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13TH ANNUAL SESSION OPENS ON JUNE 21ST 1945

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NOTICE.

GOVERNMENT is considering the creation of Diplomas in Agriculture and Animal husbandry leading to appointment in a subordinate Agriculture service with a range of pay from Rs. 50 to 120|- This course will be open to young men who are State subjects, passed the Matriculation Examination and are definitely of close rural association. If established it will cover education and training in Agriculture and Livestock. It is probably that a certain number of scholarships will be given to deserving cases. Any desirous of consideration should apply to the Asstt: Commissioner of Agriculture by the 15th June giving such data as they have in support of the 3 essentials noted supported by copies of certificates of domicile, character and Matriculation results.

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE,
Baroda State. 3607

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF FOOD.

WANTED—(1) For Special Branch, efficient Lady Stenographers and Lady Typists, speed in Shorthand not less than 110 words and typing 40 words per minute. Starting pay of former Rs. 200- to Rs. 260|- and of latter Rs. 100|- to 150|- per mensem, according to qualifications and experience, plus usual Dearness and other Allowances admissible under the rules. Candidates should be prepared to produce satisfactory credentials as to their integrity and suitability for the post.

(2) For the Secretariat—Lady or male Stenographers and typists speed: Shorthand 110 words and typing at least 35 words per minute. Stenographers pay Rs. 125-5-180-10-300 for new entrants and Rs. 175-12½-300-E.B.-12½-375-15-450-25-500 for those who have been in permanent Government service before the 15th July, 1931. Place of duty New Delhi.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

WANTED

WANTED GRADUATES with Honours or Second Class Degrees in Mathematics to work as Junior Assistants in the Statistical branch of the Supply Department of the Government of Bombay. The pay scale is Rs. 100-5-120-10-170 E. B. 10-220 P. M., with dearness allowance of Rs. 22|- P. M.

Applications may be brought personally or sent so as to reach the undersigned not later than 16th June 1945.

R. R. RANA,
Establishment Officer,
Finance Department (Supply),
Fort, Bombay. (3629)

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of Administrative Officer, Municipal School Board, Ahmedabad in the grade of Rs. 170-10-250 E.B.-15-400 plus Rs. 100|- motor allowance. The applicant should atleast be a B.A., B.T. and should have not less than 5 years' experience of teaching. Candidates should state the minimum salary required.

Applications should be addressed to the undersigned so as to reach him on or before 22nd instant.

DOLATRAM U. SHAH,
Chairman,
Committee of Management,
School Board,
Ahmedabad Municipality. (3632)

NOTICE TO SPECIAL JURORS.

MEMBERS of the Special Jury summoned for the current Criminal Sessions are required to attend the High Court on Monday, the 11th June 1945 at 10-45 A.M. (S.T.).

J. B. GREAVES.
Sheriff of Bombay.
Bombay, 8th June, 1945. (3606)

R. A. PODAR MEDICAL COLLEGE (AYURVEDIC),

WORLI, BOMBAY 18.

Admissions of matriculates, to the R. A. Podar Medical College (Ayurvedic), begin from the 6th June 1945. It is a full grade Government Ayurvedic College. Accommodation is limited. 10% freeships, 15 scholarships and one Government freeship with scholarship available for deserving students. Prospectus and form of application available on application. 3536

AHMEDABAD MUNICIPALITY

SALE OF PLOTS ON KALUPUR RELIEF ROAD (JINNAH ROAD) BY AUCTION.

The Ahmedabad Municipality proposes to sell the remaining plots in Section No. I of Kalupur Relief Road (Jinnah Road) by auction. The auction will be held on Tuesday the 3rd July 1945, at 10-0 A. M. in the Gandhi Hall in the Municipal Office at Danapith.

Further particulars and information regarding the plots to be sold can be had from the Estate and City Improvement Officer from 3 to 5 p.m. on working days, free of charge. Copies of the plans of each section can be had on payment of Rs. 2|- per copy.

(Sd.) M. A. PATEL,
Chief Officer.
Ahmedabad Municipality.
Municipal Office, Ahmedabad.
D|- 6-6-1945. 3630

LEGAL NOTICES

HIGH COURT
T. & I. J.

PETITION for Probate of the Last Will and Testament of MAGANLAL DAYABHAI also known as MAGANLAL DAHYABHAI, of Bombay and Rajkot Hindu Inhabitant, carrying on business as a Building Contractor at Vithaldas Road, Princess Street, without the Fort of Bombay and residing at the time of his death at Rajkot Civil Station in Kathiawar ..... Deceased.

(1) Bai SAVITABAI widow of Maganlal Dayabhai the deceased abovenamed, (2) RATILAL DAYABHAI, (3) LILADHAR HARJIVAN POPAT, (4) DAYALJI NARANJI and (5) REWASHANKAR DURLABHJI MEHTA, Hindu Inhabitants, the first four of Rajkot Civil Station, at present temporarily residing at 22-23, Ghodbunder Road, Malad, in the Bombay Suburban District and the fifth of Bombay residing at 22-23, Ghodbunder Road, Malad; the Executors named in the Will of the deceased abovenamed ..... Petitioners.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Probate.

Dated this 15th day of May 1945.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

(Sd.) A. H. KIRTIKAR,
Prothonotary and Senior Master.

(Sd.) S. E. ENGINEER,
The 15th day of May, 1945.
Messrs. SHAH AND CHINUBHAI,
Petitioners' Attorneys. 3627

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that share certificates Nos. B 48401, B 69898 and B 69899 for 15 shares Nos. 13948|52 177271|75 and 177276,80 in the Reserve Bank of India issued in the name of Kanji Ravji and Miss Labhakunvar Kanji have been lost, stolen or mislaid. Due notice thereof has been given to the Bank and all persons are warned against dealing with share certificates in any way.

KANJI RAVJI,
Shareholder. (8469)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that GULAM MAHOMED HAJI FEERMAHOMED, of Bombay Muslim Inhabitant has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property of whatsoever nature are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Hamam House, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

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Dated this 8th day of June, 1945.

AMIN DESAI & NANAVATI.
Purchaser's Attorneys. 3623

SUMMONS FOR SETTLEMENT OF ISSUES

(Civ. Pro. Code 05 rr 5)

IN THE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE (JUNIOR-DIVISION) AT SANGAMNER

Civil Suit No. 90 of 1944 Ex. 42

Dagadu Gajaba Gunjal, Maratha by caste, aged 23, an agriculturist residing at Khandgaon, Tal. Sangamner, Distt: Ahmednagar ..... Plaintiff

Against

Hussenbeg Dagadubeg Inamdar and others .... Defendants

To

Fattemahomod Bandushaikh. Mohamedan by caste, aged 43, an agriculturist residing at Sangamner. Tal: Sangamner Distt Ahmednagar. (Defendant No. 4).

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WHEREAS the abovenamed plaintiff has instituted a suit against you for accounts under the Deccan Agriculturist Relief Act stating that the sale-deed dated 3-11-1923 was in the nature of a mortgage and that the said mortgage dues have been satisfied by the very yield of the property described in the suit and for possession of the property, free from mortgage incumbrances with future mesuc profits and costs of the suit, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person, or by a pleader instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions, on the 30th day of June, 1945 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the claim; and you are directed to produce on that day all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this 1st day of June, 1945.

(Sd.) M. S. KOTASTHANE,
Clerk of the Court,

Also take notice that in default of your filing an address for service or before the date mentioned you are liable to have your defence struck out. (3628)

SINDHI SECONDARY SCHOOL

STARTED IN BOMBAY

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KHEMCHAND GORUMAL,
Secretary,
Sindhi Secondary School.
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DON'T SAY A WORD

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